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MATERIAL AND MEN LACKING

But Covina Electric will be Ready for Traffic First of Year.

Saturday afternoon the last spike was driven in the first line of rails of the Pacific Electric Company to be carried into Covina, but it is not believed that the line will be ready for traffic before the first of next year.

Scarcity of men and the tardiness with which materials have been delivered have so far delayed the construction work of the company more than can be readily appreciated. If it had not been for these delays the Covina line would be in operation today.

As it is, but a single line has been constructed, and that only from Vineland to Covina. This much of the track has been laid with the assistance of a steam locomotive of the Southern Pacific. The engine was brought back Sunday and this week track laying was begun from Vineland, and will be pushed as rapidly toward Los Angeles as labor and supplies of ties and rails will permit.

On account of the succession of delays which has beset the construction of the Covina line, the company is seriously considering rushing a single line of rail all the way through to Los Angeles, in order to permit the opening of of the road as a single track line, to [illegible] patrons to wait for electric service until enough materials are on hand for the construction of the double track.

A big steam shovel is busily engaged near Shorb in cutting out huge quantities of earth in the excavations which are made to bring the new line to an easy grade. It is at this point that some of the heaviest excavations on the whole system are being made.

The greatest obstacle which the company is encountering, however, aside from the scarcity of men, is the difficulty experienced in securing deliveries of ties. Since the San Francisco disaster the demand for lumber in that city has been so great that the lumber men of the noth have been sidetracked from getting out ties, and at the same time all of the lumber carrying craft have been impressed into the San Francisco service, so that the problem of securing ties and having them delivered through the port of San Pedro has been a serious one.

As for men, the construction gangs of the Pacific Electric alone are more than 500 men short, and at least 750 men could be put to work at once, if the needed construction materials could be secured at once.

The Southern Pacific is experiencing the same difficulty in securing men and teams in the construction and repair work which it is carrying on. All of the surplus men and teams, and many that are actually needed which should be done here, have been loaded on trains and rushed away to the Salton sink, where they are working away for all they are worth to make the dam which Epes Randolph is throwing across the runaway Colorado river a success.

Pleads Guilty to Assault.

Elvie Asher plead guilty in Justice Crawford's court Tuesday to an assault on Joe Crowson in front of the Goodnight & Snodgrass poolroom on Saturday evening. Asher escaped with a fine of $10.00

The case against Jim Asher on a similar charge, tried before a jury was dismissed for lack of evidence.

Attorney Boles handled the case for the defense.

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THEODORE BELL VISITS COVINA

Students Addressed and Outdoor Meeting Held.

Hon. Theodore A. Bell, the Democratic nominee for Governor, in company with W. O. Morton, Esq., of Los Angeles, and Robert Loucks of Pomona, candidates on the same ticket for the respective offices of Attorney General and Congressman for the Seventh District, with a number of county candidates and party leaders, passed through Covina in autos on Thursday, remaining long enough to lunch at the Country Club and for Mr. Bell to address the pupils of the High School in the auditorium of the High School building and to deliver a short open air address.

At the San Gabriel river the party was met by a delegation of the San Gabriel Valley Automobile Club, in eleven cars, who acted as an escort to the distinguished visitors in their whirlwind campaign through the upper San Gabriel Valley.

Of fine presence and manly bearing, Bell commanded at once the respect and attention of his listeners. His address before the pupils of the Covina High School, devoid of all political allusion, but full of sound, practical advice, will long be remembered by that student body.

In his open air address he received the courteous attention of his listeners. He spoke but briefly, and that [illegible] devoted to a review of the Santa Cruz convention, denouncing it as a convention absolutely controlled by the railroad boss.

After leaving Covina the party went to Pomona via San Dimas and Lordsburg.

Mr. Bell and the members of his party, before leaving, expressed by resolution their appreciation of the courtesies and hospitality extended them by the members of the San Gabriel Valley Automobile Club and the Covina Country Club, the large majority of whom are staunch Republicans.

Gillett or Bell?

This is for the voters to answer on November 6th.

Theodore A. Bell, Democratic candidate for Governor, in his recent campaigning in the San Gabriel Valley, asserted on every occasion, in season and out of season, that the entire Republican State ticket, from top to bottom, was named and will be dominated by the railroads.

In the face of the untarnished record made by Mr. Gillett in his political career in the past, as a review of which will show, that when in the Assembly and Senate of this State and on the floor of our national Congress he at all times worked and voted for all measures which favored the masses as against the vast railroad corporation. Mr. Bell's positive but unsupported assertions will carry but little weight with the average thinking man.

On the other hand, Mr. Bell is controlled by the labor bosses of San Francisco. The fact is, Mr. Bell, with all his bravado, has been caught taking orders from bosses and obeying them. In his earlier speeches, including those at Vallejo, Sacramento and Stockton, he attacked Ruef and Schmitz without mercy He placed them in the category with Herrin as exemplifications of all that is vile, hateful and contemptible in politics. On September 24 he is alleged to have received the following telegram, signed by two subordinate bosses of this city: "Attack on union leaders is inadvisable. Eliminate Ruef and Schmitz from speeches." And since that date he has not said one word to indicate that both those bosses are not angels in human form. The evidence against him is said to be conclusive. At Modesto a responsible person offered to contribute $100 to the Democratic campaign fund of that county if Bell would go before a notary and swear that he had received no such telegram. And with all that chance to make easy money for his party Mr. Bell would not go near a notary. But he has no longer one word to say against Ruef or Schmitz. He has been corked. And the bosses corked him. It is beginning to be evident that his union labor indorsement was only a bosses' indorsement, which does not deliver votes. The ease with which Langdon has got signatures to his petition is evident that after all the union labor men are for him and not for Bell. They will not elect Langdon, but they will beat Bell hands down.

H. W. HELLMAN DIES SUDDENLY.

Funeral From Los Angeles Home Sunday at 10 a. m.

The news of the death of Herman W. Hellman, president of the Merchants National Bank of Los Angeles, and also of the First National Bank of Covina, came as a great shock to his business associates in this city yesterday. His demise occurred about 2 o'clock yesterday morning at his home in Los Angeles at Tenth and Hill street. Members of his family were at his bedside when he passed away. Hardly more than a week ago Mr. Hellman returned from a trip to San Francisco, and was then in really bad shape.

Thursday evening it was stated at his home that Mr. Hellman was in a serious condition and it was not denied that he was in immediate danger of death.

It is said that the cause of Mr. Hellman's death was diabetes. Just how long Mr. Hellman must have known of the progress of this disease is not told, but up to the last moment of his strength he worked hard and attended to the great interests he was at the head of.

As president of the Merchants' National Bank, a director in the Security Savings Bank of Los Angeles, president of the First National Bank of Covina, and head of a score of private enterprises, including his [illegible] building at Fourth and Spring streets, Los Angeles, Mr. Hellman has been a busy man and his removal by death from the head of affairs will be considerably felt

The news of the sudden death of this great financier came as a great shock to his many intimate friends in all parts of the west.

Welcome to the New Pastor.

The reception given in honor of the new pastor of the Methodist Church, the Rev. H. W. White, on last Tuesday evening at the church proved to be a very enjoyable affair.

A large company assembled in the main room of the church, which had been decorated simply but effectively with masses of flowers, for the purpose of welcoming the incoming pastor.

An interesting program was given, commencing with a vocal duet, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew McAllen; reading, by Miss Helen Williams; solo, Mrs. J. M. Whitsel, which called for an encore; reading by Mrs. J. D. Reed, so acceptably rendered that this popular reader was compelled to respond several times before her audience was satisfied. At the conclusion of this part of the program, Rev. J. W. Utter, Rev. P. G. Stevens and Rev. S. W. Gage extended the greetings of their respective churches in words of kindliness and humor. Mr. McAllen greeted the new pastor on behalf of the Methodist congregation, after which Rev. Mr. White responded in an address which won for him the good will and esteem of the people at the outset. Refreshments were served and the rest of the evening spent in a good social time.

Mr. White has made an excellent impression on the people of Covina. His sermons, which are strong and inspiring, are greatly appreciated, and his genial personality is fast winning for him a personal friendship so valuable in his work. We predict a very successful year.

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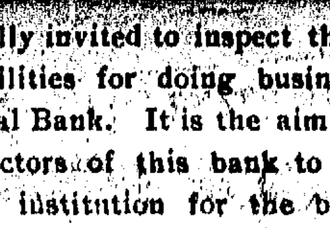
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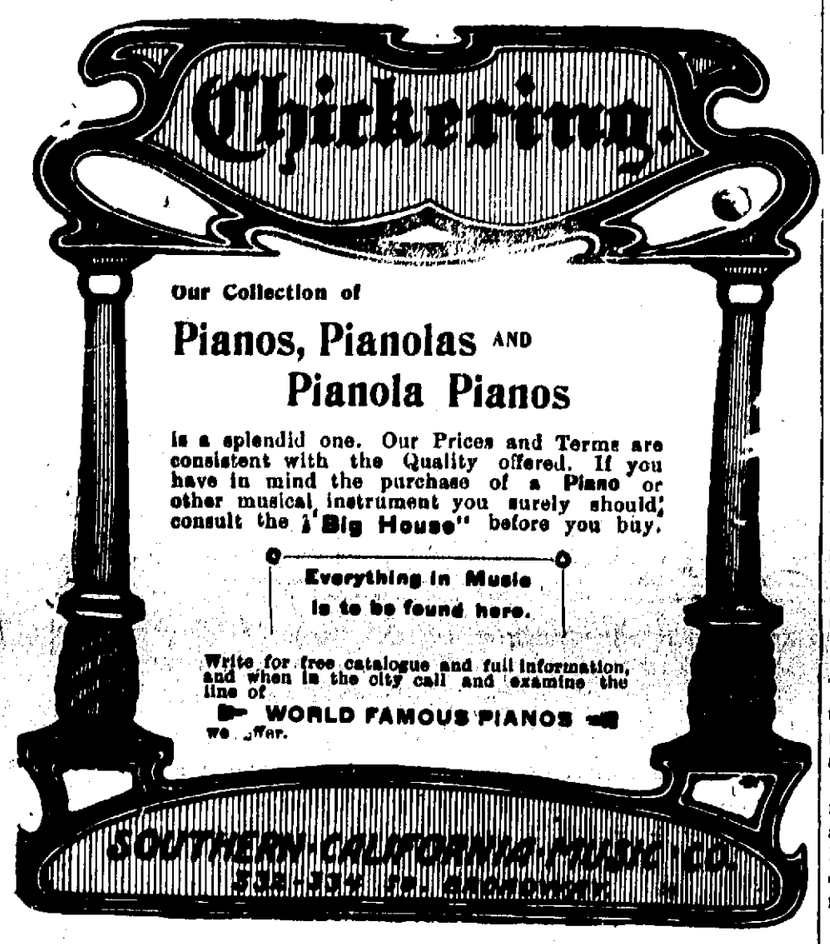

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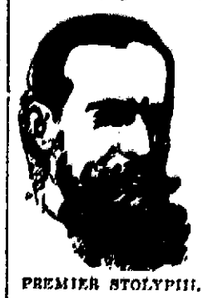
ASSASSINATION IN RUSSIA.

Conditions in the Hapless Land of the Czar Are Deplorable.

The condition in Russia is deplorable in the extreme. Those who would curb the power of the Czar and do away with the present form of government are so divided in their opinions that they are not working in unison. Established government with a parliament as a principal engine for the enforcement of the will of the people seems farther away than before the present tendency to anarchy began. The terrorists were never so active as now. Almost daily, attempts at assassination, more or less successful, are made and the manufacture and use of deadly bombs go on increasingly despite the best efforts of the police and soldiers.



PREMIER STOLYPIN.

Some of the most frightful tragedies have resulted from the work of the terrorists. Premier Stolypin was giving a reception at his villa on Aptekarsky Island when a carriage drove up and a man entered the reception room and threw a bomb into the crowd. It so happened that the premier had just stepped into an adjoining room to consult with an official, and he escaped injury, though the palace was badly wrecked and the ceiling of the room was brought crashing about him. In the reception room twenty-eight persons were killed and twenty-four badly wounded. Of the latter six afterwards died. The bomb thrower was blown to atoms. The only son of the premier was wounded and one of his daughters had both feet blown off.

The bomb was a large one and was filled with a most powerful explosive. Houses on the opposite side of the Neva were shaken and windows were broken. Many trees in the vicinity were blown down by the force of the explosion. The bodies of those killed were torn to fragments. Particles of human flesh were thrown long distances. After the explosion an officer was passing through the court yard and accidentally stumbled against a tree. He was horrified when a human hand fell at his feet.

On the same day a plot to kill the viceroy of the Caucasus was discovered and frustrated just in time to prevent its carrying out.

In St. Petersburg, as Gen. Min, commander of the Seminovsky Guard Regiment, was stepping into a railway carriage he was shot in the back by a young girl. She fired three bullets into his back and then as he lay on the ground she shot him three times. She was captured. She said she was executing a sentence passed on the general by the fighting organization. Gen. Min had won the hatred of the Nihilists by his stern repressive measures.

As Gen. Vonlarliarski, acting military governor of Warsaw, was driving from his office to his residence, he was shot and killed. The assassin escaped.

Col. Riman, of the regiment commanded by Gen. Min, was assassinated at Luga, while on his way to Warsaw. He was as much hated as was his cruel commander, of whom he was a personal friend.

Thoroughly Tamed.

Although notoriously careless as to his person, Mr. Sykes, of the firm of Tomlinson & Sykes, had many good points about him, among which was a fondness for dumb animals.

One of his pets, a recent acquisition, was a full-grown wildcat, answering to the name of "Pete," which he had begged from the keeper of a zoological garden, when the animal was about to die. He had nursed Pete back to health, and the "bobcat" seemed to be capable of showing proper gratitude.

"You ought to have seen Peter when I got him," he was telling Mr. Tomlinson one day. "He was nothing but a skeleton, and he was as savage a beast as you ever saw, but now he will eat out of my hand."

"He will, will he?" said the senior partner, glancing at the hand in question and observing its general grimness. "Well, Pete isn't very particular what he eats out of, is he?"

The "Young Girl."

The Miami Metropolis corrects some popular errors of speech, principally tautologisms, but we venture to suggest that, in modern usage, the term "young girl" is not tautological. When a female child enters her teens she is a "young girl," when she has passed 18 she is still a girl, but no longer a "young" girl. We venture this opinion with some trepidation. But surely the expression "young woman" is not tautological—though some women are always young, you know.—Florida Times Union.

Particularly Necessary.

"In order to become a successful traveling salesman," wrote the manager of a correspondence school for drummers to a long-distance pupil, "you must be plausible and persuasive — especially when it comes to explaining to the firm why you haven't landed any orders."

Unsuspected Art.

"Did you know that forestry is really a branch of art?"

"No; how so?"

"In its wood cuts, you know."—Baltimore American.

Respectable people, when they learn they are annoying their neighbors, are humiliated, and regret it. But others become angry and want to be as annoying as possibl.

It is nature for a woman to love a man more than she should.

1290—Edward I. exiled Jews from England on penalty of death.

1565—Spaniards, under Gov. Menendez, landed at St. Augustine.

1595—English force under Drake and Hawkins sailed on expedition against Spanish settlements in the West Indies.

1609—Hudson discovered Delaware bay.

1620—English pilgrims sailed from Plymouth in Mayflower.

1645—Treaty of peace between the New England colonies and Narragansett Indians.

1690—King William forced to raise the siege of Limerick after great loss.

1708—Haverhill, Mass., burned by French and Indians.

1757—Battle of Norkettin between the Russians and Prussians.

1779—French fleet captured off Charleston, S. C.

1781—Washington and Rochambeau received in Philadelphia.

1801—French evacuated Egypt in favor of the British.

1804—Planet Juno discovered by Prof. Harding of Gothingen.

1814—City of Alexandria, Va., capitulated to the British....Bombardment of Fort Erie continued by the British.

1816—Treaty signed by Algiers and England, by which Christian slavery was to be abolished.

1818—New York State prison at Auburn opened.

1833—Twelve thousand houses destroyed by fire in Constantinople.

184.—Convention at Monterey, Cal., to frame State constitution...Russians captured Fort Achulga.

1854—Maria Christinia, Queen mother of Spain, fled from Madrid to escape the wrath of the people.

1860—Street railways first introduced in England.

1861—Bombardment and capture of forts Hatteras and Clark, N. C.

1862—Union forces defeated in battle near Richmond, Ky.

1870—Capitulation of Sedan by the French.

1884—Steamer Belmont capsized in Ohio river; 15 lives lost.

1896—British bombarded palace of Sultan of Zanzibar.

1897—Boston subway opened.

1898—Col. Henry, who forged evidence against Dreyfus, committed suicide ....Czar proposed an international peace conference.

1902—Volcanic eruption of Mount Pelee.

1903—Caleb Powers found guilty of complicity in Gov. Goebel murder in Kentucky.

1904—Desperate attacks of Japanese at Liaoyang repulsed by the Russians.

1905—Edwin I. Holmes, Jr., indicted in the government cotton report scandal ....Japanese and Russian envoys at Portsmouth reached peace agreement.

The College Bred Farmer.

Prof. L. H. Bailey, director of the Cornell university college of agriculture, in the third of his series of articles for The Century, gives the result of his inquiry among his students as to what practical use they expected to put their education. Of the 179 replies received, seventy-eight were those of students reared on the farm. Of these, sixty-eight desired to go into practical farming and then to teaching and experimental work. Of the sixty-nine students reared in town or city, forty-four wish to go into practical farming, fourteen into teaching, eight into landscape gardening and the rest undecided. Of the fourteen women students, two want to become practical farmers and twelve teachers of nature study and agriculture. Of the eighteen foreign students fifteen wish to return to the farm and three to enter experimental work. Prof. Bailey says that the agricultural college is now teaching from the farm rather than from the academic point of view.

A New Aid to the Blind.

Dr. George M. Gould, the Philadelphia eye specialist, writing to the New York Science of the recently improved Roulssen device for the reproduction of speech, known as the telegaphone, suggests that this be employed to take the place of the cumbersome, expensive, slow and wearying embossed letters and points through which books are now made available to the blind. In this way a book could be read to the sightless or to the invalid while the patient lies in bed, and lectures, concerts, recitations, etc., may be had at will. Letters may be dictated or spoken upon the thin sheets of steel, and these, after being sent by mail to a distant friend, will reproduce the voice of the sender exactly as to inflection, pitch and emphasis. The record may be used again and again.

New Volcanic Island Visited.

Officers of the revenue cutter service were able to explore on July 20 the new volcanic island in the Bogoslof group of the Bering sea, although it was still very hot from the action of the volcano which threw it up ten days prior to that. A great column of smoke and steam continued to rise over this new-born isle. At the northern end the land rises abruptly to 400 feet, and on the west to a height of 700 feet. Notwithstanding that, the surface was still warm and soft the explorers ascended to the summit.

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COVINA, OCT. 20, 1906.

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REPUBLICAN TICKET

LOS ANGELES COUNTY

Election November 6, 1906.

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George H. Hutton
W. P. James
James C. Rives

For Sheriff ....W. A. Hamel
For Clerk...... .....Charles G. Keyes
For Auditor ....Herbert G. Dow
For Recorder ... ...Charles L. Logan
For Tax Collector........W. O. Welch
For District Attorney.J. D. Fredericks
For Assessor ....Calvin Hartwell
For Treasurer...........John N. Hunt
For Superintendent of Schools.... ... .Mark Keppel
For Public Administrator............ ......Frank Bryson
For Coroner.......... P. S. Lanterman
For Surveyor ....Ivory B. Noble
For Supervisor, 1st District........... ......C. D. Manding
For Assembly, 68th District ....Prescott F. Cogswell

This Tells You "Why Not."

From the Santa Monica Outlook of October 17, 1906:

"I have been the friend of the small taxpayer and wage earner," is the stock argument of Ben E. Ward, Independent candidate for the office of County Assessor.

Mr. Ward claims that he has antagonized the corporations of this county in his efforts to protect the "small taxpayer and wage-earner," but so far Mr. Ward has refrained from giving figures of record in support of his contention.

Mr. Ward and his friends assert that the Southern Pacific Railroad Company has contributed $150,000 to be used as a corruption fund on election day to secure his (Ward's) defeat.

The object of Mr. Ward's friends in making this absurd assertion is to, if possible, direct attention away from the record which Mr. Ward's assessments of corporations reveals.

FACTS OF RECORD

The following figures were taken from the assessment rolls of the County for the year 1906, on file in the office of Ben E. Ward and from the assessment rolls in the office of the City Assessor, both of which are public property and open for inspection by any citizen or taxpayer.

The assessment rolls made up by Ben E. Ward show that Ben E. Ward in assessing the real estate owned by the Southern Pacific Railroad Company, within the City of Los Angeles, saved to the corporation $202,-275.00.

In plain English, Mr. Ward discriminated against the "small taxpayer and wage-earner," in favor of the corporation which he is now denouncing for votes.

The exact figures of record, as found in the assessment rolls in Mr. Ward's office, are here given, together with the assessment made by the City Assessor.

	Ward's assessment	City assessment
Southern Pacific R.R. Sh[illegible] and [illegible] A. of land on Alhambra Ave. east of river	[illegible]	$102,[illegible]
Freight Depot Tract, Lot A	[illegible]	[illegible]
Lot B	[illegible]	[illegible]
Lot C	[illegible]	[illegible]
Lot D	[illegible]	[illegible]
Lot E	[illegible]	6,000
7.83 A., Macy and Alameda Sts. (S. P. Co.)	[illegible]	55,000
Property at 5th and Central (S. P. Co.)	[illegible]	54,000
Total	418,475	680,750

Particular attention is called to the fact that Mr. Ward failed to find and allowed to escape taxation "Lot C" in the depot tract, which lot was assessed by the City Assessor at a valuation of $5,000.

Just how or where the "small taxpayer and wage-earner" benefitted by this sample brick of discrimination in favor of the Southern Pacific Railroad, Mr. Ward has neglected to explain. The closer Mr. Ward's assessment rolls are scrutinized, the clearer stands out the fact that Mr. Ward has been the friend of the corporations and in no sense the enemy.

For example Mr. Ward's assessment of the realty owned by the Pacific Electric Railway and the Huntington Land Company reveals the fact that Mr. Ward discriminated against the "small taxpayer and wage-earner" in exact figures, in the sum of $370,010.

The exact figures as taken from the records in Ben E. Ward's office and in the office of the City Assessor are here given for the purpose of comparison.

WARD AND HUNTINGTON

	Ward's assessment	City assessment
Pacific Electric Ry. Depot & grounds, 6th and Main	$600,250	$854,000
(P. E. Co.) 6th St. Terminal Tract 4 lots 6th and L. A. Sts	132,000	195,300
Huntington Land Co., S. W. corner 9th and San Pedro	24,960	57,400
N. E. Corner 8th and San Pedro	17,370	37,890
Total	774,580	1,144,590

MINOR CORPORATIONS

That Ben E. Ward played no favorites in the matter of assessing corporations is a matter of record fact, which should prove of interest to the "small taxpayer and wage earner."

A comparison of assessments made by Ben E. Ward, County Assessor, and Evan Lewis, City Assessor, will be interesting reading for Mr. Wrad's enemies (?), the corporations.

FIGURES OF RECORD

	Ward's assessment	City assessment
Farming & Milling Co.'s Land, Com. & Alameda	$ 31,740	$ 45,000
J. M. Griffith & Co.'s land, 4 A. east of Alameda St.	18,750	30,000
Kerckhoff Cuzner Mill & Lumber Co. Macy & Alameda	13,100	23,000
Rosedale Cemetery, Pico Heights	38,750	76,000
L. A. Ice & Cold Storage Co.'s land. 4th and Central Ave.	18,000	38,000
Chutes Park, Main & Wash.	90,000	137,470
S. W. Cor. 3rd & Central Ave.	48,525	87,000
Wm. H. Perry Lumber, Co.'s land cor. 5th & San Pedro	50,000	115,000
L. W. Blinn Lumber Co.'s land Cor. 3rd and San Pedro	37,000	80,000
Union Hdwe & Metal Co.'s land N. W. cor. 1st and Alameda	62,400	100,000
L. A. Gas and Elec Co.'s leased land, 4 A. north side of Macy street, west of Santa Fe R. R.	3,900	15,000
Stern & Co.'s land, 18.46 A, north of Macy, east of river	9,750	18,460
Total	421,915	764,930

If reasonable explanation can be furnished for this manifest discrimination on the part of Ben E. Ward in favor of the corporations, the "small taxpayer and wage earer" will be only too willing to be enlightened. If the City Assessor found $363,015 more value than Ben E. Ward discovered, who benefitted by Ben E. Ward's discrimination? Certainly not the "small taxpayer and wage-earner."

As a matter of fact Ben E. Ward is making his Independent campaign for re-election, along the circus and sideshow lines. His billboard posters appeal for votes on the sole argument of "Why Not." The thoughtful voter can easily answer that question from the above facts and figures.

Wedding Bells.

A quiet wedding took place in Covina Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Coolman on the San Bernardino road, when their eldest daughter, Lola, was married to Arthur V. East of Glendora, Rev. Robert Grieve, of the Glendora Christian Church officiating.

Miss Myrtle Reach of Glendora played Mendelssohn's wedding march as the couple wended their way through the hall into the reception room and took their places under a bower of asparagus ferns and white roses.

The bride looked very sweet in a delicate cream Lansdown and carried a beautiful bouquet of white carnations. The groom wore the conventional black. Only relatives and close friends of the contracting parties were present.

After congratulations, a wedding supper was served in the dining room which was elegantly decorated with ferns and pink roses.

The bridal couple, amid showers of rice, left by automobile for Monrovia and there took the car for the beach, where they will spend several days. They will be at home on North Michigan avenue, Glendora, to their friends after Nov. 1.

The bride has been in the employ of the Home Telephone Company the past three years, having been chief operator for two years. The groom has a position as clerk with a grocery firm in Glendora.

The Argus joins the host of friends in wishing them a long, happy and prosperous life.

Church News

Topic for the Epworth League tomorrow evening, "Studies in Church Benevolences." Leader, E. P. Warner.

The women of the Holy Trinity Church intend giving their annual chicken dinner on Thursday evening, Nov. 1, in Reed's Hall. Please note the date and prepare for the dinner.

Worship at the Baptist Church. Bible School at 9.45 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. B. Y. P. U. 6:45 p. m. Preaching at 7:30 p. m. All are cordially invited to these services.

At the Methodist Church, the pastor, Rev. Harry W. White, M. A., will preach both morning and evening. Topic at 11 a. m. "Foundations;" at 7:30 p. m. "Living at our Best" Sunday School at 9:45, Andrew McAllen, Superintendent. Epworth League at 6:30.

Services at the Christian Church: Sunday School 9:15 Preaching at 11 a. m. by Rev. Walter Conley of Redlands. Junior at 3 p. m. C. E. 6:30. subject, "Faithfulness," Luke 16:10; Addie Kellar and W. S. Utter, leaders. Praise service and preaching at 7:30.

Services in the Church of the Holy Trinity. Nineteenth Sunday after Trinity. Day of Intercession for Sunday School; Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.; Sunday School, 9:45 a. m. Morning Prayer, 11 o'clock, subject, "Our Duty to the Children of the Church." Evensong, 7:30 p. m. Subject, "The Doctrines of the Atonement."

Presbyterian services. Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. Subject, "The Departments of Church Government." Y.P.S.C.E. 6:30 p. m. Gospel service 7:30, Subject, "The Guilt of Neglect" Prayermeeting Thursday 7:30. Strangers and friends are welcome to any of these services. Paul G. Stevens, pastor.

The Womans Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Church held its regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. C. Wallace last Wednesday afternoon. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. H. W. White; vice-president, Mrs. L. A. Warner; corresponding secretary, Mrs. G. W. Lee; recording secretary, Mrs. E. A. Rich; treasurer, Mrs. E. E. Pitts.

At the First Presbyterian Church last Sunday morning after an earnest sermon by the pastor from the text, "Examine Thyself" the names of 16 persons were read who presented themselves to unite with the church. Seven of them came on confession of their faith and nine by letter. After their reception the Sacrament of the Lord's supper was commemorated.

Local Briefs.

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Born: To Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Young of San Diego, on Wednesday, Oct. 10, a son. Mrs. Young, who is a sister of Dr. G. D. Jennings, lived in Covina for about two years.

The Farmers Club will hold its regular monthly meeting at the home of Jacob Maechtlen this afternoon. An interesting program has been arranged for.

A cordial invitation is extended to all those interested in the work of the Child Study Circle at the next regular meeting of the circle in the Covina Grammar School at 3:30 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Thorpe went to Oakland last week to attend the wedding of Mr. Thorpe's brother, Dr. L. S. Thrope, to Miss Edith Lilliencrantz, at the country home of the bride's parents at Aptos.

LARGEST MINE IN DEATH VALLEY.

A Corporation Being Formed at Riverside to Work It.

A number of prominent people of Riverside and Los Angeles are forming a corporation to be known as the Palmeto Gold Quartz Mining Company to work one of the largest mines in Death Valley. The main office of the company will be at Riverside where the officers and directors of the company will be elected on Nov. 1, '06, by those holding the stock of the corporation. The company is to be incorporated under the laws of Arizona with a capital stock of 1,500,000 shares par value one dollar each. The company's property will consist of three full claims, is located about thirty miles west of Goldfield and about ten miles from the new Tonopah and Tidewater Railroad now building. To the west of the property lies the Lyda Queen Mine, now working in quartz from $50.00 to $300.00 and have about one and one-half miles of under ground work done. On the east lies that great mine the Golden Chariot which is shipping ore running all the way from $100 00 to $2,000.00 per ton. On the property there are a series of big ledges running parallel from 5 to 50 feet wide and essays from 8 to 15 dollars The ore seems to be the same in character with that found in the main shaft of the Golden Chariot.

In order to raise the cash to pay for the purchase of the property they are selling the promotion stock for ONE CENT A SHARE. Most of this has already been subscribed by prominent people of Riverside and surrounding towns, thus leaving but 150,000 shares to be sold by Nov. 1, '06. Every possible effort will be made to have the stock listed on the Los Angeles Stock Exchange, thus making a ready sale for it at all times. The treasury stock of this company will be put on the market for sale within thirty days at ten cents a share. Any one wishing to subscribe for any of the 150,000 shares still remaining unsold at ONE CENT A SHARE should communicate with H. M. BENNETT, RIVERSIDE, CAL. at once. No subscription will be accepted under 1,000 shares and in case of stock being over subscribed he reserves the right to refund the money and cancel the subscription. For further information fill out coupon and mail.

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Rev. J. W. Utter Resigns.

On Sunday morning Rev. J. W. Utter, pastor of the Christian Church, surprised his congregation by tendering his resignation, to take effect as soon as a suitable successor could be secured.

The announcement came like a thunderbolt from a clear sky and was a source of deep regret to the membership, whom this beloved pastor had served for over ten years. Mr. Utter has been offered the associate pastorate of the Broadway Church, Los Angeles, and after prayful consideration has decided to accept it.

It is expected that Rev. Mr. Utter will take up his new duties in November, and the local church is considering the extending of a call to Rev. Walter Cooley of Redlands.

Republican Rally.

The Republicans of Covina will hold a grand rally, the only one of the campaign, in the Woman's Club House on Friday evening of next week, Oct. 26 There will be present on this occasion that prince of all orators, Hon. Dorsey Patton, of Ocean Park. He will be accompanied by other well known Republican speakers. Don't forget the date or the place. A cordial invitation is extended to the ladies.

Coming.

The well known Cooley Company, one of the best of western theatrical organizations, will play a two night engagement here, opening next Friday evening.

The first play to be presented is a comedy of superior excellence, entitled, "Other People's Money." Saturday evening—"Mouth of the Cannon" Saturday afternoon, ladies souvenir matinee, "Tom Sawyer." Prices, 15, 25, 35 and a few seats at 50 cents.

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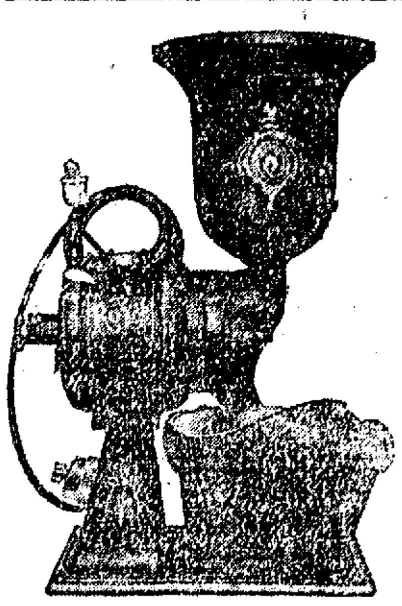

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A man can't help having affection for a woman who can make a good apple pie.

Strange thing about earthquakes is that they miss so many places where they are needed.

Sympathy is sweet, but when a man has pounded his finger it doesn't help him materially for a while.

People who never could spell correctly will be glad of the presidential license to spell some other way.

Some of the best friends of the administration think that in the matter of the spelling reform it went off half cocked.

Society men who enlist in the navy should bear in mind that the duties performed there are not known as functions.

A Russian Grand Duke when drilling his loyal and loving soldiers, should always take pains to stand well out of range.

It is scarcely necessary to add that the Sage who failed in New York a day or two ago is an entirely different kind of Sage.

Even should the scientists agree as to the cause of earthquakes, it would not be any great satisfaction to the sufferers.

Chicago has a World Betterment League, but so far it hasn't found it necessary to go away from home to find something to do.

A Pittsburg man has made a breakfast food testing plant of his wife's stomach. This is simply reversing the rule of the ages past.

A professor has discovered a calendar of the year 4241 B. C. If they had calendars then why they must have had insurance companies, too.

The Czar's policy is said to be one of strong-handed reform. In the case of the douma it looked more like the nonresilient toe of the royal boot.

Two hundred and forty thousand species of insects exist on the earth. If you don't believe it count 'em the next time you eat your picnic lunch in the woods.

We don't think there will ever be much of an argument on the proposition that Russell Sage had more sense than all his nephews and nieces combined.

This country spent $81,000,000 for coffee last year. The figures would be still more interesting if we were informed how much genuine coffee this sum paid for.

It may be very true that the Czar is getting over $6,000,000 for spending money, but it is pretty certain that he is not squandering any of it on moonlight excursion tickets.

"The American woman of the upper class," says Professor Thomas, "has superior rights and no duties, and yet she is worrying herself to death because she has lost her connection with reality." Think it over, ladies.

Newsboys in Boston are establishing a fund to send one of their number to college. They have already raised about two thousand dollars. This fact tells more about America than a volume of comment by a Russian lecturer or a German philosophic critic of our institutions.

The proposition to tunnel the English Channel has again been revived, and an English engineer has been invited to make plans for it. The channel is twenty miles wide at the narrowest place, consequently the tunnel would be a long one. It is likely that the channel will be tunneled before railroad trains are run under Bering Strait, but neither will happen very soon.

Nearly all the secretaries and stenographers attached to the late Russian Douma were women, and women are numerous in the ranks of the Russian revolutionists. The arbitrary arrest and banishment of a husband or father has turned many a Russian woman into an enemy of the government that has been guilty of such outrages. Free Russia, when it comes, will owe much to the Russian women.

No psychologist ever has arisen to explain why it is that a man who would not trust his own brother with a 5-cent piece will amiably turn over several hundreds of his dollars to some glaring rascal who advertises to pay prodigious dividends from a sugar mine in the mountains of the moon. The success of these schemes of finance is enough to make "Hungry Joe" and all the other old-time bunko men turn in their graves. It is so simple that no rascal can afford to be "broke."

No higher tribute can be paid to a foreigner by a Japanese than his belief in his power to keep silence; that power is one of the most tremendous sources of the nation's strength. Much marvel has been elicited by the inviolate safety during the war of strategic secrets, the common possession of thousands of people at once. There were a few traitors here and there in the beginning of the war; there were none when it was ended. They were discovered and convicted by their own comrades and swift and terrible was the execution of justice upon them. Only in the service to which they belonged were these painful incidents known; they were described when the war was over.

Now and again one of the hundreds of thousands of capable men in comparatively humble positions rises into prominence because of public interest in something with which he may be connected. There is the case of A. Pappa, the head pilot of the Suez canal, who has taken many ships through the narrow strait without attracting public attention. But he steered the dry dock Dewey through the canal, a bulk so large that it practically filled the whole width of the waterway at the depth required to float it, and did not let it touch bottom once. Now the naval officer in command has mentioned the old Greek in his report, praising him in unmeasured terms. There is many a "mute, inglorious Milton" doing his singing or hers with a shovel or a plane, a needle or a broom, who deserve all that can be said of heroes or heroines. They are doing that which their hands find to do as well as possible to do it. No one can do more.

Ethnologists say, as the result of their observations, that the racial differences which exist among mankind are very slight once we get below the surface. Taking humanity as a whole, it is said that one man will fight as bravely as another up to a certain point, that courage is a common attribute of all mankind and that fundamental ethical considerations are respected to the same extent by all the tribes of men. It is found, in short, that the difference between the man of one nation and the man of another nation is not essential but temperamental. This conclusion receives frequent confirmation. In the steamship disaster off the Spanish coast a few weeks ago the obvious deficiency was not lack of courage upon the part of the officers and crew but a lack of discipline and self-control. The Latin temperament is not the temperament for sudden and menacing emergencies. It is the temperament of impulse, of enthusiasm, of ebullient bravery. It lacks the self-poise and imperturbability of the northern character. Take them man for man and it is probable that the crew of the Sirio would have charged a forlorn hope with greater intrepidity than an equal number of Scandinavians or Englishmen or Americans or Germans would have done. That is because the Latin temperament lacks the calculating quality which estimates danger. But confronted with a peril in which the spectacular and emotional elements were wanting the Italian sailors lost their heads. They "went to pieces," to use a colloquialism, not from lack of courage but from temperamental inability to confront the unexpected. We may say, in other words, that the Latin temperament is not the seafaring temperament. When matched against the Teutonic races on the ocean the Latins have gone down to defeat. The invincible armada strewed its shattered timbers on the shores of the British Islands. The navies of Napoleon were forever undoing at sea the victories of that matchless commander ashore. The galleys of the Romans were more transports than war vessels. The Latin fights and fights valiantly, but he prefers to fight men instead of wind and wave, and he prefers to fight men on land instead of on the sea. But this, as we have pointed out, is no impugnment of his courage; it is merely a phase of his temperament. The temperate zone breeds men of slower imagination but of consequently greater sang froid than are bred in warmer climes. The north excels in steady achievement and dauntless will; the south is pre-eminent in esprit, in art and imagination. At the bottom, however, the Latin and the Teuton are equals. Their superficial differences can be laid to climate and environment.

Sentimental Surgery.

A party of college students, celebrating a football victory in New York, ran into an unexpected difficulty in the shape of some policemen, and after the smoke of the battle had cleared away, as the political orators say, it was necessary to cart one of the young men to a hospital and fix up his head.

The young surgeon in charge of such cases put the collegian on the table and looked him over. He had a long gash in his forehead. The surgeon cleansed the wound and began to sew it up. He labored for half an hour and then burst into the office of the doctor in charge.

"I can't do anything with that young chap in there," he said.

"What's the matter?" asked his superior.

"Why, every time I put in a stitch he pulls it out and says: 'She loves me,' and when I put in the next one he pulls that out and says: 'She loves me not.'"—Saturday Evening Post.

Possible Explanation.

"I wonder why the editor prints the marriage notices directly under the death notices?" queried the typewriter boarder, as she glanced over the local paper.

"I don't know," rejoined the fussy bachelor, "unless it is to remind us that the fools are not all dead yet."

A woman taking on a second marriage must feel the same as a man who has always worn tailor-made suits and then changes to hand-me-downs.

What has become of the girl who crocheted trimming for her wedding clothes?

Popular Science.

A remarkable botanical specimen of Japan is a hollow tree trunk sixty-five feet in circumference containing a living tree nine feet in circumference. The older tree was destroyed about 130 years ago, leaving thirty feet of trunk, and the inner tree is about 110 years old.

Snake venom, says a British physician, has been shown by recent research to be a highly composite substance, containing various poisonous proteid bodies, which are variously affected by heat and fluorescent solutions in sunlight. That it has so little toxic effect when taken by the mouth is due to its slight absorption by the stomach and alteration by the bile and pancreatic juice.

The oldest stone ax known is claimed by M. B. Cotesworth, a Yorkshire man. The semi-circular blade is about eight inches across, an inch and a half thick, and ground down to a fine edge, with a stiff, stout haft, possibly cut to fit into a wooden cleft handle. Striated scratches prove its pre-glacial origin, and establish the existence of man in the North of England in pre-glacial times.

Corticite, the new Portuguese heat insulating material, has granulated cork for its principal component, and it is claimed to be a perfect insulator, resisting the greatest extremes of climate and the attacks of insects, even of white ants. It can be sawed and bored like wood. It is not inflammable, and is of value for many purposes. A covering of it for steam pipes and boilers is claimed to effect a great saving of heat, correspondingly reducing the temperature of the boiler room.

The new fish car of Dr. Eugene Erlwein, a German, carries no heavy tank of water, but keeps the fish alive during long journeys in a supply of liquid just sufficient to keep the gills moist. Small pumps keep the water in constant circulation, passing it through an apparatus that charges it with oxygen and extracts the carbonic acid. In the laboratory the fish are placed on shelves in a large glass case, and here, entirely out of water, pike, trout, bass and other finned creatures live contentedly for an indefinite time, having been shown to be as much alive as ever at the end of thirty hours. The oxygen supplied is kept moist by passing through water and by a wet cloth on the floor of the case.

Durinng the celebration of the feto of the summer solstice on the summit of the Eiffel tower an extraordinary megaphone, capable of carrying the human voice to a distance of nearly two miles, was employed to amaze the Parisians. The apparatus is the invention of Messrs. Laudet and Gaumont. The immense magnification of sound is produced by the aid of a series of explosions of a detonating gas. The detonations are governed in period and intensity by the movements of the stylus over the phonographic record bearing the original impressions of the sonorous vibrations. As a greater or lesser quantity of gas is admitted the intensity of the sound is varied. With this machine words uttered in an ordinary tone are clearly heard more than 300 feet away.

According to Dr. P. Remlinger, of the Pasteur Institute of Constantinople, all recent experience is united in proving that hydrophobia, although sometimes spontaneously curable in dogs, is invariably fatal in human beings unless its development is prevented by antirabic inoculation. Dr. Remlinger reviews, in the Revue Scientifique, the various recent efforts to discover a positive cure for hydrophobia. The first experiments with radium appeared to give promise of success in this direction, but later investigation has shown that the apparent efficacy of radio-activity in destroying the virus was deceptive. All other alleged cures have also been found ineffective, but, fortunately, the preventive power of the Pasteur treatment continues to be demonstrated whenever that treatment is applied in time.

The Nufangl Family.

Mother wears the "Nushape" corset
(Bill-boards show you how they look),
Sister keeps her skirt together
With a "Nu-Kind" nottahook.

At our house we feed on "Biss-Kuts."
Drink the "Mako-Jav Kaw-Fee,"
Spread our bread with "Wun-Kow" butter
Dip our toast in "See-Lon" tea.

Bridget blacks the stove with "Poll-Ish,"
Uses "Klee-Nit" on the floor;
With an "E-Z" brush she scrubs the
Handle of the big front door.

All we wear, eat, use is just as
Nu-Fash-Und as it can be.
Don't you think it's Id-I-Ot-Ic?—
So at least thinks B. L. T.

Why We Study Grammar.

A teacher in a public school of Boston once had great difficulty in imparting to a boy pupil at 10 certain elementary principles of grammar. In class one day the instructor experienced more than the usual amount of trouble with the lad. In desperation the teacher finally blurted out the question: "At least, you can tell me why we study grammar?" "Yes, ma'am," returned the pupil; "we study grammar so that we can laugh at the mistakes of others."—Harper's Weekly.

An Exception.

"I never heard such a lot of gossip. The walls in that boarding house have ears, haven't they?"

"Yes, everywhere except about the dumb waiter."—Baltimore American.

LEGAL INFORMATION.

The right of local self-government in Rhode Island, which has been strongly urged in view of the peculiar origin of that State, is denied, in Horton vs. Newport (R. I.), 1 L. R. A. (N. S.) 512, as against a statute regulating the police force of the State.

The power of a court of equity to prevent majority stockholders from exercising their statutory power to reduce the capital stock in order to relieve defaulting stockholders from meeting their obligations is asserted in Theis vs. Durr (Wis.), 1 L. R. A. (N. S.) 571.

The distinction between private and public functions of a municipality is considered in Dickinson vs. Boston (Mass.), 1 L. R. A. (N. S.) 664, which denies municipal liability for negligence of the city superintendent of the lamp department in respect to an unsafe lamp-post.

A company manufacturing and bottling a beverage is held, in Watson vs. Augusta Brewing Company (Ga.), 1 L. R. A. (N. S) 1178, to be liable to one injured by swallowing pieces of glass while drinking from one of such bottles, which he procured from a merchant, who had purchased the same from the manufacturer.

The violation of a municipal ordinance as to the manner of stringing the electric light wire which charged a broken telephone wire, or the imperfect insulation of the wire, is held, in Stark vs. Muskegon Traction & L. Co. (Mich.), 1 L. R. A. (N. S.) 822, not to be the proximate cause of an injury to a boy who seized the broken telephone wire to receive a shock.

An exception to the rule that equity will not specifically enforce, as between parties in pari delicto, a contract which is opposed to public policy, is applied in Seattle Electric Company vs. Snoqualmie Falls Power Company (Wash.), 1 L. R. A. (N. S.) 1032, by restraining the breach of a contract to furnish a supply of electricity to a street-car and electric-lighting company upon the ground that such breach would result in a great public inconvenience.

A limitation upon the right of one to use his own name in his own business is declared in Morton vs. Morton (Cal.), 1 L. R. A. (N. S.) 660, holding that one who had established a business under a particular name, which he placed on the hats of his agents to inform customers that were his representatives, could enjoin another of the same name, engaged in the same business, from using such name as a hat label in substantially the same way as the former, so as to deceive the public.

Jenkins Followed Directions.

William Allen White, the Kansas editor, tells in Harper's Weekly a tale of the trials of a young reporter. His editor had given him instruction in the first principles of making a newspaper story: "Tell in the first few lines what your story is about. Give the substance at once. Then follow with a recital of the facts, and conclude with interviews with the people concerned. That is the only orderly way of writing your story."

The new man gave close attention to this lesson, the result of which was that he handed in that night a news item which read as follows:

"Rufus Jenkins, a carpenter, slipped and fell in Vine street yesterday, and sprained his ankle badly.

"Mr. Jenkins was walking along Vine street, when suddenly his feet slipped from under him and he fell, spraining one of his ankles.

"When seen by a reporter he said, 'I was walking along Vine street, when in some way my feet slipped from under me, and I fell heavily to the sidewalk, spraining one of my ankles.'

"Mr. Frank Fuller said, 'I was walking behind Mr. Jenkins on Vine street, when I saw him slip and fall to the sidewalk. When I assisted him to arise he told me that he had sprained one of his ankles.'

"Dr. Thomas Rich, who attended Mr. Jenkins, said, 'Mr. Jenkins had a badly sprained ankle, due to a fall in Vine street. He will be laid up for some time.'

"Mr. Jenkins could not attend last night's meeting of the carpenters' union. The president, in convening the meeting, expressed regret that Mr. Jenkins could not attend, as he had slipped and fallen in Vine street, spraining one of his ankles."

When She Took His Seat.

Ryder—I saw Mrs. Rawtey in the car to-day.

Ryder—How did she look?

Ryder—Oh! She looked all right, but judging from what she said she was not like herself at all to-day.

Mrs. Ryder—Why, what did she say?

Ryder—"Thank you."—Philadelphia Press.

Obliging.

"So," said Mr. Goldbons, severely, "so young man, you want to marry my daughter, eh? What is your salary?"

The young man's answer was meek and respectful.

"Whatever you think I'm worth, sir," he said.—Cleveland Leader.

Something Else.

"Do you ever eat veal?"

"No, I guess not. I used to think I did, however, until these packing-house exposures."—Houston Post.

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"God Almighty never made such a looking object, and the devil himself has too much sense to get himself up in that shape. If he came to Indianapolis looking like that you'd all go callyhootin', and you wouldn't stop till you got plumb across White river. No, the devil wants people to stay at home when he comes to do business with them. He knows that if he should send a message that he was coming in on the 10:30 train in that kind of a rig you'd all skedaddle. The Mayor and the Council and the band would never meet him at the station and give him the keys of the city. I don't mean to say that there are not plenty of city officials who would welcome him and give the city over to him, but not if he came in that disguise."

The Rev. Mr. Small declared that he believes the devil has the power to assume an angelic appearance closely approaching that he held before the fall. "Now, if you heard a knock on the door some night and went there and found a beautiful angel standing, you wouldn't say, 'Scat! you old devil, you!' would you? The devil with his Sunday clothes on is the biggest puzzle in angelology.

"Now, we have a funny idea about angels. We believe an angel is a willowy, peachblow, sixteen-year-old girl, with molasses-candy hair down her back, and that she carries a gold harp in one hand and a palm of victory in the other, and on her head she wears a golden crown of glory, and she picks on the harp and makes music to beat the band. Anybody that knows anything of the Scriptures knows God never made a woman angel—they are all he-angels. He made a lot of he-angels and lost about a third of them the first chance they had to get away.

"When I was a kid and went to Sunday school I used to sing 'I want to be an angel, and with the angels stand,' but not any more. Since I've read the Bible and got religion that is the last thing I want to be."—Indianapolis Star.

He Knew Mrs. Barker.

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"By the way, Alice, wouldn't you like a kitten to take home with you?"

"I'd like it," returned Alice, wistfully, "but the very last thing father said when I came away was: 'Alice, whatever else you do, don't bring home any cats.'"

Effect on Society.

Young Man (in Goldfield)—Mayme, it's awfully hot in this restaurant. If you don't mind it, I'll take my coat off.

Mayme—I won't have it, George. If you're going to attack this ice cream with me you'll have to weigh in with your fighting togs on.

Dubious.

"That boy of mine," said Mr. Bingo, "exhibits a decided fondness for the violin. Don't you think I ought to encourage him in it?"

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Ladies' Attention.

All ladies in Covina and vicinity are cordially invited to attend the Box Ball parlor on Tuesday and Thursday afternoon of next week from 1 to 5 p. m. and learn the game free of charge.

MATERIAL AND MEN LACKING

But Covina Electric will be Ready for Traffic First of Year.

Saturday afternoon the last spike was driven in the first line of rails of the Pacific Electric Company to be carried into Covina, but it is not believed that the line will be ready for traffic before the first of next year.

Scarcity of men and the tardiness with which materials have been delivered have so far delayed the construction work of the company more than can be readily appreciated. If it had not been for these delays the Covina line would be in operation today.

As it is, but a single line has been constructed, and that only from Vineland to Covina. This much of the track has been laid with the assistance of a steam locomotive of the Southern Pacific. The engine was brought back Sunday and this week track laying was begun from Vineland, and will be pushed as rapidly toward Los Angeles as labor and supplies of ties and rails will permit.

On account of the succession of delays which has beset the construction of the Covina line, the company is seriously considering rushing a single line of rail all the way through to Los Angeles, in order to permit the opening of of the road as a single track line to favor the residents of Covina, and not to compel them to wait for electric service until enough materials are on hand for the construction of the double track.

A big steam shovel is busily engaged near Shorb in cutting out huge quantities of earth in the excavations which are made to bring the new line to an easy grade. It is at this point that some of the heaviest excavations on the whole system are being made.

The greatest obstacle which the company is encountering, however, aside from the scarcity of men, is the difficulty experienced in securing deliveries of ties. Since the San Francisco disaster the demand for lumber in that city has been so great that the lumber men of the noth have been sidetracked from getting out ties, and at the same time all of the lumber carrying craft have been impressed into the San Francisco service, so that the problem of securing ties and having them delivered through the port of San Pedro has been a serious one.

As for men, the construction gangs of the Pacific Electric alone are more than 500 men short, and at least 750 men could be put to work at once, if the needed construction materials could be secured at once.

The Southern Pacific is experiencing the same difficulty in securing men and teams in the construction and repair work which it is carrying on. All of the surplus men and teams, and many that are actually needed which should be done here, have been loaded on trains and rushed away to the Salton sink, where they are working away for all they are worth to make the dam which Espes Randolph is throwing across the runaway Colorado river a success.

Pleads Guilty to Assault.

Elvie Asher plead guilty in Justice Crawford's court Tuesday to an assault on Joe Crowson in front of the Goodnight & Snodgrass poolroom on Saturday evening. Asher escaped with a fine of $10.00

The case against Jim Asher on a similar charge, tried before a jury was dismissed for lack of evidence. Attorney Boles handled the case for the defense.

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THEODORE BELL VISITS COVINA

Students Addressed and Outdoor Meeting Held.

Hon. Theodore A. Bell, the Democratic nominee for Governor, in company with W. O. Morton, Esq., of Los Angeles, and Robert Loucks of Pomona, candidates on the same ticket for the respective offices of Attorney General and Congressman for the Seventh District, with a number of county candidates and party leaders, passed through Covina in autos on Thursday, remaining long enough to lunch at the Country Club and for Mr. Bell to address the pupils of the High School in the auditorium of the High School building and to deliver a short open air address.

At the San Gabriel river the party was met by a delegation of the San Gabriel Valley Automobile Club, in eleven cars, who acted as an escort to the distinguished visitors in their whirlwind campaign through the upper San Gabriel Valley.

Of fine presence and manly bearing, Bell commanded at once the respect and attention of his listeners. His address before the pupils of the Covina High School, devoid of all political allusion, but full of sound, practical advice, will long be remembered by that student body.

In his open air address he received the courteous attention of his listeners. He spoke but briefly, and that time he devoted to a review of the Santa Cruz convention, denouncing it as a convention absolutely controlled by the railroad boss.

After leaving Covina the party went to Pomona via San Dimas and Lordsburg.

Mr. Bell and the members of his party, before leaving, expressed by resolution their appreciation of the courtesies and hospitality extended them by the members of the San Gabriel Valley Automobile Club and the Covina Country Club, the large majority of whom are staunch Republicans.

Gillett or Bell?

This is for the voters to answer on November 6th.

Theodore A. Bell, Democratic candidate for Governor, in his recent campaigning in the San Gabriel Valley, asserted on every occasion, in season and out of season, that the entire Republican State ticket, from top to bottom, was named and will be dominated by the railroads.

In the face of the untarnished record made by Mr. Gillett in his political career in the past, as a review of which will show, that when in the Assembly and Senate of this State and on the floor of our national Congress he at all times worked and voted for all measures which favored the masses as against the vast railroad corporation. Mr. Bell's positive but unsupported assertions will carry but little weight with the average thinking man.

On the other hand, Mr. Bell is controlled by the labor bosses of San Francisco. The fact is, Mr. Bell, with all his bravado, has been caught taking orders from bosses and obeying them. In his earlier speeches, including those at Vallejo, Sacramento and Stockton, he attacked Ruef and Schmitz without mercy He placed them in the category with Herrin as exemplification of all that is vile, hateful and contemptible in politics. On September 21 he is alleged to have received the following telegram, signed by two subordinate bosses of this city: "Attack on union leaders is inadvisable. Eliminate Ruef and Schmitz from speeches." And since that date he has not said one word to indicate that both those bosses are not angels in human form. The evidence against him is said to be conclusive At Modesto a responsible person offered to contribute $100 to the Democratic campaign fund of that county if Bell would go before a notary and swear that he had received no such telegram. And with all that chance to make easy money for his party Mr. Bell would not go near a notary. But he has no longer one word to say against Ruef or Schmitz. He has been corked. And the bosses corked him. It is beginning to be evident that his union labor indorsement was only a bosses' indorsement, which does not deliver votes. The ease with which Langdon has got signatures to his petition is evident that after all the union labor men are for him and not for Bell. They will not elect Langdon, but they will beat Bell hands down.

H. W. HELLMAN DIES SUDDENLY.

Funeral From Los Angeles Home Sunday at 10 a. m.

The news of the death of Herman W. Hellman, president of the Merchants National Bank of Los Angeles, and also of the First National Bank of Covina, came as a great shock to his business associates in this city yesterday. His demise occurred about 2 o'clock yesterday morning at his home in Los Angeles at Tenth and Hill street. Members of his family were at his bedside when he passed away. Hardly more than a week ago Mr. Hellman returned from a trip to San Francisco, and was then in really bad shape.

Thursday evening it was stated at his home that Mr. Hellman was in a serious condition and it was not denied that he was in immediate danger of death.

It is said that the cause of Mr. Hellman's death was diabetes. Just how long Mr. Hellman must have known of the progress of this disease is not told, but up to the last moment of his strength he worked hard and attended to the great interests he was at the head of.

As president of the Merchants' National Bank, a director in the Security Savings Bank of Los Angeles, president of the First National Bank of Covina, and head of a score of private enterprises, including his big office building at Fourth and Spring streets, Los Angeles, Mr. Hellman has been a busy man and his removal by death from the head of affairs will be considerably felt

The news of the sudden death of this great financier came as a great shock to his many intimate friends in all parts of the west.

Welcome to the New Pastor.

The reception given in honor of the new pastor of the Methodist Church, the Rev. H. W. White, on last Tuesday evening at the church proved to be a very enjoyable affair.

A large company assembled in the main room of the church, which had been decorated simply but effectively with masses of flowers, for the purpose of welcoming the incoming pastor.

An interesting program was given, commencing with a vocal duet, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew McAllen; reading, by Miss Helen Williams; solo, Mrs. J. M. Whitsel, which called for an encore; reading by Mrs. J. D. Reed, so acceptably rendered that this popular reader was compelled to respond several times before her audience was satisfied. At the conclusion of this part of the program, Rev. J. W. Utter, Rev. P. G. Stevens and Rev. S. W. Gage extended the greetings of their respective churches in words of kindliness and humor. Mr. McAllen greeted the new pastor on behalf of the Methodist congregation, after which Rev. Mr. White responded in an address which won for him the good will and esteem of the people at the outset. Refreshments were served and the rest of the evening spent in a good social time.

Mr. White has made an excellent impression on the people of Covina. His sermons, which are strong and inspiring, are greatly appreciated, and his genial personality is fast winning for him a personal friendship so valuable in his work. We predict a very successful year.

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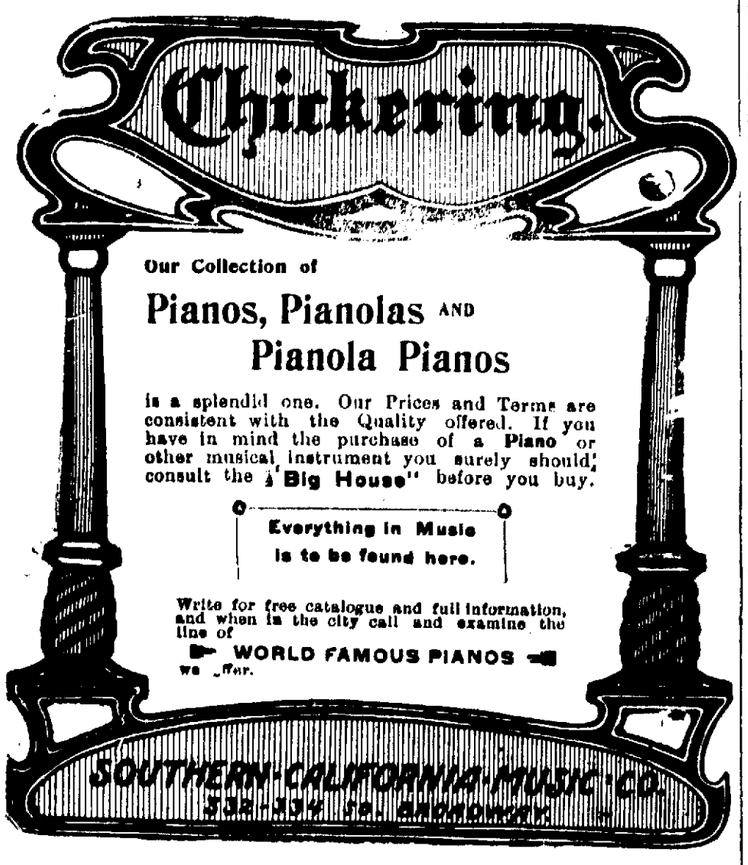

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PREMIER STOLYPIN.

Some of the most frightful tragedies have resulted from the work of the terrorists. Premier Stolypin was giving a reception at his villa on Aptekarsky Island when a carriage drove up and a man entered the reception room and threw a bomb into the crowd. It so happened that the premier had just stepped into an adjoining room to consult with an official, and he escaped injury, though the palace was badly wrecked and the ceiling of the room was brought crashing about him. In the reception room twenty-eight persons were killed and twenty-four badly wounded. Of the latter six afterwards died. The bomb thrower was blown to atoms. The only son of the premier was wounded and one of his daughters had both feet blown off.

The bomb was a large one and was filled with a most powerful explosive. Houses on the opposite side of the Neva were shaken and windows were broken. Many trees in the vicinity were blown down by the force of the explosion. The bodies of those killed were torn to fragments. Particles of human flesh were thrown long distances. After the explosion an officer was passing through the court yard and accidentally stumbled against a tree. He was horrified when a human hand fell at his feet.

On the same day a plot to kill the viceroy of the Caucasus was discovered and frustrated just in time to prevent its carrying out.

In St. Petersburg, as Gen. Min, commander of the Semlinovsky Guard Regiment, was stepping into a railway carriage he was shot in the back by a young girl. She fired three bullets into his back and then as he lay on the ground she shot him three times. She was captured. She said she was executing a sentence passed on the general by the fighting organization. Gen. Min had won the hatred of the Nihilists by his stern repressive measures.

As Gen. Vonllarliarski, acting military governor of Warsaw, was driving from his office to his residence, he was shot and killed. The assassin escaped.

Col. Riman, of the regiment commanded by Gen. Min, was assassinated at Luga, while on his way to Warsaw. He was as much hated as was his cruel commander, of whom he was a personal friend.

Thoroughly Tamed.

Although notoriously careless as to his person, Mr. Sykes, of the firm of Tomlinson & Sykes, had many good points about him, among which was a fondness for dumb animals.

One of his pets, a recent acquisition, was a full-grown wildcat, answering to the name of "Pete," which he had begged from the keeper of a zoological garden, when the animal was about to die. He had nursed Pete back to health, and the "bobcat" seemed to be capable of showing proper gratitude.

"You ought to have seen Peter when I got him," he was telling Mr. Tomlinson one day. "He was nothing but a skeleton, and he was as savage a beast as you ever saw, but now he will eat out of my hand."

"He will, will he?" said the senior partner, glancing at the hand in question and observing its general grimliness. "Well, Pete isn't very particular what he eats out of, is he?"

The "Young Girl."

The Miami Metropolis corrects some popular errors of speech, principally tautologisms, but we venture to suggest that, in modern usage, the term "young girl" is not tautological. When a female child enters her teens she is a "young girl," when she has passed 18 she is still a girl, but no longer a "young" girl. We venture this opinion with some trepidation. But surely the expression "young woman" is not tautological though some women are always young, you know.—Florida Times Union.

Particularly Necessary.

"In order to become a successful traveling salesman," wrote the manager of a correspondence school for drummers to a long distance pupil, "you must be plausible and persuasive — especially when it comes to explaining to the firm why you haven't landed any orders."

Unsuspected Art.

"Did you know that forestry is really a branch of art?"

"No; how so?"

"In its wood cuts, you know."—Baltimore American.

Respectable people, when they learn they are annoying their neighbors, are humiliated and regret it. But others become angry and want to be as annoying as possible.

It is nature for a woman to love a man more than she should.

1290—Edward I. exiled Jews from England on penalty of death.

1565—Spaniards, under Gov. Menendez, landed at St. Augustine.

1595—English force under Drake and Hawkins sailed on expedition against Spanish settlements in the West Indies.

1609—Hudson discovered Delaware bay.

1620—English pilgrims sailed from Plymouth in Mayflower.

1645—Treaty of peace between the New England colonies and Narragansett Indians.

1690—King William forced to raise the siege of Limerick after great loss.

1708—Haverhill, Mass., burned by French and Indians.

1757—Battle of Norkettin between the Russians and Prussians.

1779—French fleet captured off Charleston, S. C.

1781—Washington and Rochambeau received in Philadelphia.

1801—French evacuated Egypt in favor of the British.

1804—Planet Juno discovered by Prof. Harding of Gothingen.

1814—City of Alexandria, Va., capitulated to the British....Bombardment of Fort Erie continued by the British.

1816—Treaty signed by Algiers and England, by which Christian slavery was to be abolished.

1818—New York State prison at Auburn opened.

1833—Twelve thousand houses destroyed by fire in Constantinople.

1834—Convention at Monterey, Cal., to frame State constitution...Russians captured Fort Achulga.

1854—Maria Christinia, Queen mother of Spain, fled from Madrid to escape the wrath of the people.

1860—Street railways first introduced in England.

1861—Bombardment and capture of forts Hatteras and Clark, N. C.

1862—Union forces defeated in battle near Richmond, Ky.

1870—Capitulation of Sedan by the French.

1884—Steamer Belmont capsized in Ohio river; 15 lives lost.

1896—British bombarded palace of Sultan of Zanzibar.

1897—Boston subway opened.

1898—Col. Henry, who forged evidence against Dreyfus, committed suicide ....Czar proposed an international peace conference.

1902—Volcanic eruption of Mount Pelee

1903—Caleb Powers found guilty of complicity in Gov. Goebel murder in Kentucky.

1904—Desperate attacks of Japanese at Liaoyang repulsed by the Russians.

1905—Edwin I. Holmes, Jr., indicted in the government cotton report scandal ....Japanese and Russian envoys at Portsmouth reached peace agreement.

The College Bred Farmer.

Prof. L. H. Bailey, director of the Cornell university college of agriculture, in the third of his series of articles for The Century, gives the result of his inquiry among his students as to what practical use they expected to put their education. Of the 179 replies received, seventy-eight were those of students reared on the farm. Of these, sixty-eight desired to go into practical farming and then to teaching and experimental work. Of the sixty-nine students reared in town or city, forty-four wish to go into practical farming, fourteen into teaching, eight into landscape gardening and the rest undecided. Of the fourteen women students, two want to become practical farmers and twelve teachers of nature study and agriculture. Of the eighteen foreign students fifteen wish to return to the farm and three to enter experimental work. Prof. Bailey says that the agricultural college is now teaching from the farm rather than from the academic point of view.

A New Aid to the Blind.

Dr. George M. Gould, the Philadelphia eye specialist, writing to the New York Science of the recently improved Roulssen device for the reproduction of speech, known as the telegaphone, suggests that this be employed to take the place of the cumbersome, expensive, slow and wearying embossed letters and points through which books are now made available to the blind. In this way a book could be read to the sightless or to the invalid while the patient lies in bed, and lectures, concerts, recitations, etc., may be had at will. Letters may be dictated or spoken upon the thin sheets of steel, and these, after being sent by mail to a distant friend, will reproduce the voice of the sender exactly as to inflection, pitch and emphasis. The record may be used again and again.

New Volcanic Island Visited.

Officers of the revenue cutter service were able to explore on July 20 the new volcanic island in the Bogoslof group of the Bering sea, although it was still very hot from the action of the volcano which threw it up ten days prior to that. A great column of smoke and steam continued to rise over this new-born isle. At the northern end the land rises abruptly to 400 feet, and on the west to a height of 700 feet. Notwithstanding that, the surface was still warm and soft the explorers ascended to the summit.

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Ar. in Los Angeles	6:30	8:25	10:03	2:05	5:40

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STATIONS	No. 8 Overland	No. 42 Local Daily	No. 44 Local Daily	No. 4 Limited	No. 2 Overland
	a. m.	a. m.	p. m,	p. m.	p. m.
Leave Los Angeles	7:30	8:30	4:30	6:15	8:00
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London Conveyances.

'Buses and cars cease running in London at 12:30 a. m., and one of the reasons why the labor men in the House of Commons want earlier sittings is that they have no autos or broughams and cannot afford cabs, so would have to walk home in all weathers if the house sat late.

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Arithmetic Races.

In the recent great athletic meeting at Canton arithmetic races were a feature. Pupils from the schools carried slate and pencil, and in the course of the race they encountered a blackboard containing a sum to be solved. The boys were lined up as they reached the goal, and those whose calculations were wrong were then eliminated. The first three left in the line were counted winners.

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The unusual spectacle of a bridegroom appearing at the altar handcuffed has been seen, according to a contemporary, at Monthey, an Italian village. The bridegroom, an Italian, was undergoing a long sentence for burglary, and recently prevailed upon the governor of the prison, to whom he stated he had committed the crime for the sake of his fiancee, to allow him to marry. Two gendarmes in uniform acted as witnesses and guardians at the same time. At the church door the young bride and bridegroom parted with heavy hearts.

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"The spiteful thing! Dear, I said you were a sight for sore eyes."

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney and Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from ten drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address,
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WHY GEN. MIN WAS HATED.

Wanton Cruelty of the Officer Assassinated in Russia Sunday.

Gen. Min, who was shot to death in St. Petersburg Sunday by a young woman who afterwards said to the police that she was but one of 10,000 women who are ready to die that Russia may be free, was one of the most heartless of all the repressive agents of the Czar. His cruelty had made him hated by the people.

Min was the commander of the Semlnovsky regiment, which poured a terrible fire into the parading workmen near the Technological Institute, in St. Petersburg, last October. For that bloody work he was raised to the rank of general and sent to Saratov to quell the disturbances following the assassination of Lieut. Gov. Sakaroff. One of the first acts of Min after arriving in Saratov was to order the flogging of all the men in a large village. He sat on his horse like a statue while Cossacks carried out his terrible instructions, and with women and children pressing around pleading for leniency for his victims. It was Min who crushed the revolt last winter in Moscow. He spared none suspected of revolutionary sympathy. All persons found carrying arms were tried at drum-head court martial and shot.

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Will Helps Sailors.

A will of the late Lord Iverclyde, chairman of the Cunard Company, dated March 20, 1901, and believer to be his last, left all his property to the widow. But a later will, dated Nov. 9, 1902, has been found in a handbag in his London office, by which $1,500,000 is left to seamen's charities in Glasgow, Liverpool, Manchester, Belfast, New York and Boston.

A WOMAN'S KIDNEYS.

Women have so much to do, so many pains to suffer, so many critical periods to go through, that it is important to keep the kidneys well and avoid the backache, bearing down pain, languor and other common signs of weak kidneys. Mrs. Chas. E. Smith, of 22 Boyden St., Woonsocket, R. I., says: "My kidneys were weak from chlidhood, and for eight or ten years past my sufferings were terrible. My back was very painful and I had many annoying symptoms besides. When I began taking Doan's Kidney Pills I weighed only 120. Today I weigh 165, and am in better health than for years. Doan's Kidney Pills have been my only kidney medicine durnig four years past. They bring me out of every attack."

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COLOR SENSE IN ANIMALS.

Possessed to High Degree by Some, Especially by Birds.

A hypothesis that the sense of colors is possessed to a high degree by animals and especially by birds furnished a basis for some of the most beautiful and fecund of the Darwinian theories of sexual selection. No Darwinist doubts that the brilliant colors of male birds are to attract the attention of the female birds, and this presupposes naturally on the part of these birds a fine sense of color.

Wallace has asserted that to the fact that certain plants bear fruit of brilliant colors is due their preservation; the animals, attracted by these colors, break the fruits from the trees or plants, carry them off and thus indirectly assist in the dissemination of the seeds which they contain over large tracts of land. And this function of selection on the part of animals presupposes in them a certain sense of color. Still, scientific documents in support of these hypotheses are rare.

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First Ranchman—How's that?

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"Without."

The German girl who presided over the soda fountain in Heckelmeyer's drug store was accustomed to patrons who did not know their own minds, and her habit of thought was difficult to change.

"I'd like a glass of plain soda," said a stout man, entering one day in evident haste as well as thirst.

"You have vanilla, or you have lemon?" tranquilly inquired the young woman.

"I want plain soda—without sirup. Didn't you understand me?" asked the stout man, testily.

"Yas," and the placid German face did not change in expression or color. "But wat kind of sirup you want him mitout? Mitout vanilla, or mitout lemon?"

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"I am. What's the matter with them?"

"Th' idea of a dacent sthore selling thim things to kill moths or annything else! If yez can show me a man that can hit a moth wid wan o' thim, I'll say nawthing about the pitchers and the looking-glass me an' the ould woman broke."

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Probably Went All Right.

"J. Smith, Famished Geological Structure, Ill."

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"Try Starved Rock," wrote the educated railway postal clerk just below the address.—Chicago Tribune.

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Never In Daylight.

"What!" snapped the complaint clerk in the gas office. "You say you are always bothered wth poor light?"

"Oh! no! not always," replied the quiet man.

"Ah, as I suspected. You only notice it then at certain times, eh?"

"Yes, only after dark."—Philadelphia Press.

Unsolicited Testimonial.

"Stella engaged herself to five or six young men at that summer resort," said the girl with the blue earrings. "I don't think that was right, do you?"

"Maybe not," answered the girl with the ready made complexion, "but poor, dear Stella was determined they shouldn't all of them escape her this time."

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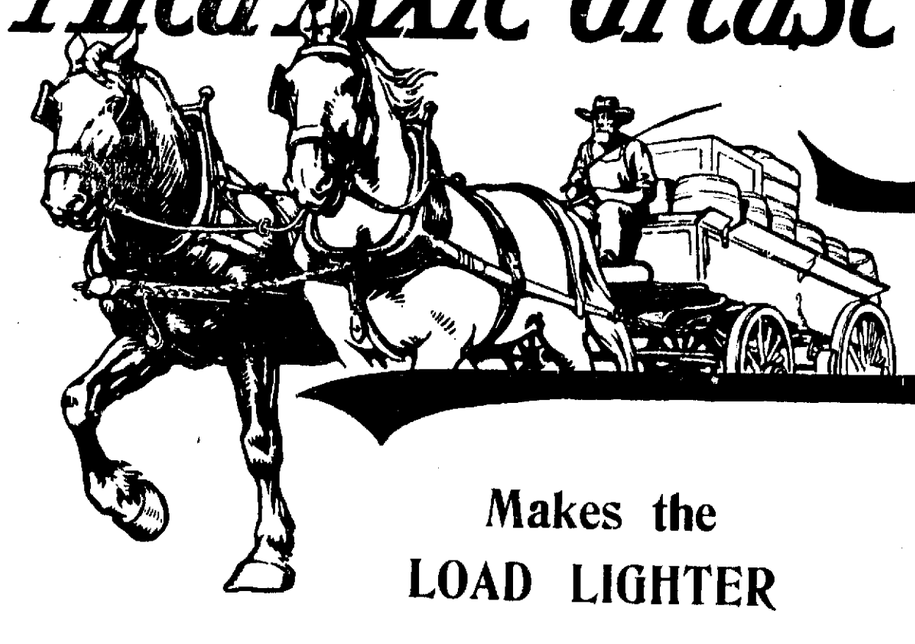

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One man appointed a committee of fifteen, which selected the so-called nonpartisan ticket.

There is no Democratic county ticket.

Vote the Republican ticket by stamping a cross in the circle at the head of the Republican column.

REPUBLICAN TICKET

LOS ANGELES COUNTY

Election November 6, 1906.

For Superior Judge (unexpired term)
Charles Monroe

For Superior Judges (long term)
Walter Bordwell
Frederick W. Houser
George H. Hutton
W. P. James
James C. Rives

For Sheriff .... W. A. Hamel
For Clerk .... Charles G. Keyes
For Auditor .... Herbert G. Dow
For Recorder .... Charles L. Logan
For Tax Collector .... W. O. Welch
For District Attorney J. D. Fredericks
For Assessor .... Calvin Hartwell
For Treasurer .... John N. Hunt
For Superintendent of Schools .... Mark Keppel
For Public Administrator .... Frank Bryson
For Coroner .... P. S. Lanterman
For Surveyor .... Ivory B. Noble
For Supervisor, 1st District .... C. D. Manding
For Assembly, 68th District .... Prescott F. Cogswell

This Tells You "Why Not."

From the Santa Monica Outlook of October 17, 1906:

"I have been the friend of the small taxpayer and wage earner," is the stock argument of Ben E. Ward, Independent candidate for the office of County Assessor.

Mr. Ward claims that he has antagonized the corporations of this county in his efforts to protect the "small taxpayer and wage-earner," but so far Mr. Ward has refrained from giving figures of record in support of his contention.

Mr. Ward and his friends assert that the Southern Pacific Railroad Company has contributed $150,000 to be used as a corruption fund on election day to secure his (Ward's) defeat.

The object of Mr. Ward's friends in making this absurd assertion is to, if possible, direct attention away from the record which Mr. Ward's assessments of corporations reveals.

FACTS OF RECORD

The following figures were taken from the assessment rolls of the County for the year 1906, on file in the office of Ben E. Ward and from the assessment rolls in the office of the City Assessor, both of which are public property and open for inspection by any citizen or taxpayer.

The assessment rolls made up by Ben E. Ward show that Ben E. Ward in assessing the real estate owned by the Southern Pacific Railroad Company, within the City of Los Angeles, saved to the corporation $262,275 00

In plain English, Mr. Ward discriminated against the "small taxpayer and wage earner," in favor of the corporation which he is now denouncing [illegible]

The exact figures of record, as found in the assessment rolls in Mr. Ward's office, are here given, together with the assessment made by the City Assessor.

[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Total	[illegible]	680,750

Particular attention is called to the fact that Mr. Ward failed to find and allowed to escape taxation "Lot C" in the depot tract, which lot was assessed by the City Assessor at a valuation of $5,000.

Just how or where the "small taxpayer and wage-earner" benefitted by this sample brick of discrimination in favor of the Southern Pacific Railroad, Mr. Ward has neglected to explain. The closer Mr. Ward's assessment rolls are scrutinized, the clearer stands out the fact that Mr. Ward has been the friend of the corporations and in no sense the enemy.

For example Mr. Ward's assessment of the realty owned by the Pacific Electric Railway and the Huntington Land Company reveals the fact that Mr. Ward discriminated against the "small taxpayer and wage earner" in exact figures, in the sum of $570,010.

The exact figures as taken from the records in Ben E. Ward's office and in the office of the City Assessor are here given for the purpose of comparison.

WARD AND HUNTINGTON

	Ward's Assessment	City Assessment
Pacific Electric Ry. Depot & grounds, 6th and Main	$599,250	$854,000
(P. E. Co.) 6th St. Terminal Tract 4 lots 6th and L. A. Sts	132,600	195,200
Huntington Land Co., S. W. corner 8th and San Pedro	21,900	57,400
N. E. Corner 8th and San Pedro	[illegible]	[illegible]
Total	[illegible]	1,114,500

MINOR CORPORATIONS

That Ben E Ward played no favorites in the matter of assessing corporations is a matter of record fact, which should prove of interest to the "small taxpayer and wage earner."

A comparison of assessments made by Ben E. Ward, County Assessor, and Evan Lewis, City Assessor, will be interesting reading for Mr. Wrad's enemies (?), the corporations.

FIGURES OF RECORD

	Ward's assessment	City assessment
Furnaing & Milling Co.'s land, Com. & Alameda	$ 31,740	$ 45,000
J. M. Griffith & Co.'s land, 4 A. east of Alameda St.	18,750	30,000
Kerckhoff Cuzner Mill & Lumber Co. Macy & Alameda	13,160	23,000
Rosedale Cemetery, Pico Heights	32,750	76,000
L. A. Ice & Cold Storage Co.'s land 4th and Central Ave.	18,000	38,000
Chutes Park, Main & Wash.	90,000	157,470
S. W. Cor. 3rd & Central Ave.	48,525	87,000
Wm. H. Perry Lumber Co.'s land cor. 5th & San Pedro	50,000	115,000
L. W. Blinn Lumber Co.'s land Cor. 3rd and San Pedro	37,000	80,000
Union Hdwe & Metal Co.'s land N. W. cor. 1st and Alameda	62,400	100,000
L. A. Gas and Elec Co.'s leased land, 4 A. north side of Macy street, west of Santa Fe R. R.	3,900	15,000
Stern & Co.'s land, 18.46 A. north of Macy, east of river	9,750	18,460
Total	421,915	764,930

If reasonable explanation can be furnished for this manifest discrimination on the part of Ben E. Ward in favor of the corporations, the "small taxpayer and wage earer" will be only too willing to be enlightened. If the City Assessor found $363,015 more value than Ben E. Ward discovered, who benefitted by Ben E. Ward's discrimination? Certainly not the "small taxpayer and wage-earner."

As a matter of fact Ben E. Ward is making his Independent campaign for re-election, along the circus and sideshow lines His billboard posters appeal for votes on the sole argument of "Why Not." The thoughtful voter can easily answer that question from the above facts and figures.

Wedding Bells.

A quiet wedding took place in Covina Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Coolman on the San Bernardino road, when their eldest daughter, Lola, was married to Arthur V. East of Glendora, Rev. Robert Grieve, of the Glendora Christian Church officiating.

Miss Myrtle Reuch of Glendora played Mendelssohn's wedding march as the couple wended their way through the hall into the reception room and took their places under a bower of asparagus ferns and white roses.

The bride looked very sweet in a delicate cream Lansdown and carried a beautiful bouquet of white carnations. The groom wore the conventional black. Only relatives and close friends of the contracting parties were present.

After congratulations, a wedding supper was served in the dining room which was elegantly decorated with ferns and pink roses.

The bridal couple, amid showers of rice, left by automobile for Monrovia and there took the car for the beach, where they will spend several days. They will be at home on North Michigan avenue, Glendora, to their friends after Nov. 1.

The bride has been in the employ of the Home Telephone Company the past three years, having been chief operator for two years. The groom has a position as clerk with a grocery firm in Glendora.

The Argus joins the host of friends in wishing them a long, happy and prosperous life.

Church News

Topic for the Epworth League tomorrow evening, "Studies in Church Benevolences," Leader, E. P. Warner.

The women of the Holy Trinity Church intend giving their annual chicken dinner on Thursday evening, Nov. 1, in Reed's Hall. Please note the date and prepare for the dinner.

Worship at the Baptist Church. Bible School at 9.45 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. B. Y. P. U. 6:45 p. m. Preaching at 7:30 p. m. All are cordially invited to these services.

At the Methodist Church, the pastor, Rev. Harry W. White, M. A., will preach both morning and evening. Topic at 11 a. m. "Foundations;" at 7:30 p. m. "Living at our Best" Sunday School at 9:45, Andrew McAllen, Superintendent. Epworth League at 6:30.

Services at the Christian Church: Sunday School 9:45 Preaching at 11 a. m. by Rev. Walter Conley of Redlands. Junior at 3 p. m. C. E. 6:30 subject, "Faithfulness," Luke 16:10; Addie Kellar and W. S Utter, leaders. Praise service and preaching at 7:30.

Services in the Church of the Holy Trinity. Nineteenth Sunday after Trinity. Day of Intercession for Sunday School; Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.; Sunday School, 9:45 a. m. Morning Prayer, 11 o'clock, subject, "Our Duty to the Children of the Church." Evensong, 7:30 p. m. Subject "The Doctrines of the Atonement"

Presbyterian services. Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. Subject, "The Departments of Church Government." Y.P.S.C.E 6:30 p. m Gospel service 7:30, Subject, "The Guilt of Neglect" Prayermeeting Thursday 7:30. Strangers and friends are welcome to any of these services. Paul G. Stevens, pastor.

The Womans Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Church held its regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. C. Wallace last Wednesday afternoon. **The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. H. W. White; vice-president, Mrs. L. A. Warner; corresponding secretary, Mrs. G. W. Lee; recording secretary, Mrs. E. A. Rich; treasurer, Mrs. E. E. Pitts.**

At the First Presbyterian Church last Sunday morning after an earnest sermon by the pastor from the text, "Examine Thyself" the names of 16 persons were read who presented themselves to unite with the church. Seven of them came on confession of their faith and nine by letter. After their reception the Sacrament of the Lord's supper was commemorated.

Local Briefs.

FOR RENT:—Four room house. Inquire at this office.

To Rent: Room fitted for light housekeeping. Mrs. S. E. King. tf

Place your orders this week for vetches for orchard planting. San Gabriel Valley Milling Co.

The United States Savings Bank of Covina pays four per cent on deposits.

Miss Nell Hawkins, a young society lady of Portland, Oregon, is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Preston.

Wanted: Second hand sacks by the San Gabriel Valley Milling Company.

4000 packets of garden seed, 1 cent per packet. San Gabriel Valley Milling Company.

I am carrying a nice line of velvets for dress trimming, the very prettiest shades on the market. Mrs. Geo. W. Van Vliet.

The Covina Valley Savings Bank offers you a safe investment for your idle funds. We pay 4 per cent. Start an account today.

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Young of San Diego, on Wednesday, Oct. 10, a son. Mrs. Young, who is a sister of Dr. G. D. Jennings, lived in Covina for about two years.

The Farmers Club will hold its regular monthly meeting at the home of Jacob Maechtlen this afternoon. An interesting program has been arranged for.

A cordial invitation is extended to all those interested in the work of the Child Study Circle at the next regular meeting of the circle in the Covina Grammar School at 3:30 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Thorpe went to Oakland last week to attend the wedding of Mr. Thorpe's brother, Dr. L. S. Thorpe, to Miss Edith Lilliencrantz, at the country home of the bride's parents at Aptos.

LARGEST MINE IN DEATH VALLEY.

A Corporation Being Formed at Riverside to Work It.

A number of prominent people of Riverside and Los Angeles are forming a corporation to be known as the Palmeto Gold Quartz Mining Company to work one of the largest mines in Death Valley. The main office of the company will be at Riverside where the officers and directors of the company will be elected on Nov. 1, '06, by those holding the stock of the corporation. The company is to be incorporated under the laws of Arizona with a capital stock of 1,500,000 shares par value one dollar each. The company's property will consist of three full claims, is located about thirty miles west of Goldfield and about ten miles from the new Tonopah and Tidewater Railroad now building. To the west of the property lies the Lyda Queen Mine, now working in quartz from $50.00 to $300.00 and have about one and one-half miles of under ground work done. On the east lies that great mine the Golden Chariot which is shipping ore running all the way from $100 00 to $2,000.00 per ton. On the property there are a series of big ledges running parallel from 5 to 50 feet wide and essays from 8 to 15 dollars The ore seems to be the same in character with that found in the main shaft of the Golden Chariot.

In order to raise the cash to pay for the purchase of the property they are selling the promotion stock for ONE CENT A SHARE. Most of this has already been subscribed by prominent people of Riverside and surrounding towns, thus leaving but 150,000 shares to be sold by Nov. 1, '06. Every possible effort will be made to have the stock listed on the Los Angeles Stock Exchange, thus making a ready sale for it at all times. The treasury stock of this company will be put on the market for sale within thirty days at ten cents a share. Any one wishing to subscribe for any of the 150,000 shares still remaining unsold at ONE CENT A SHARE should communicate with H. M. BENNETT, RIVERSIDE, CAL. at once. No subscription will be accepted under 1,000 shares and in case of stock being over subscribed he reserves the right to refund the money and cancel the subscription. For further information fill out coupon and mail

H. M. BENNETT,
632 Seventh St., Riverside

Kindly send me more information in reference to Palmeto Gold Quartz Mining Co.

Name ....

Address ....

Rev. J. W. Utter Resigns.

On Sunday morning Rev. J. W. Utter, pastor of the Christian Church, surprised his congregation by tendering his resignation, to take effect as soon as a suitable successor could be secured.

The announcement came like a thunderbolt from a clear sky and was a source of deep regret to the membership, whom this beloved pastor had served for over ten years. Mr. Utter has been offered the associate pastorate of the Broadway Church, Los Angeles, and after prayful consideration has decided to accept it.

It is expected that Rev. Mr. Utter will take up his new duties in November, and the local church is considering the extending of a call to Rev. Walter Cooley of Redlands.

Republican Rally.

The Republicans of Covina will hold a grand rally, the only one of the campaign, in the Woman's Club House on Friday evening of next week, Oct. 26 There will be present on this occasion that prince of all orators, Hon. Dorsey Patton, of Ocean Park. He will be accompanied by other well known Republican speakers. Don't forget the date or the place. A cordial invitation is extended to the ladies.

Coming.

The well known Cooley Company, one of the best of western theatrical organizations, will play a two night engagement here, opening next Friday evening.

The first play to be presented is a comedy of superior excellence, entitled, "Other People's Money." Saturday evening "Mouth of the Cannon" Saturday afternoon, ladies souvenir matinee, "Tom Sawyer." Prices, 15, 25, 35 and a few seats at 50 cents.

Fashionable dress making and tailoring. All work guaranteed.
Mrs. Barner
Mrs. C. Rittenhouse.
Location, San Bernardino road, two blocks east of school house.

Hay, Grain, Flour, Feed, Mill Stuffs, Wood, Coal.

Wheat, ½ ton lots at $1.35; Wheat Bran, 80lb sacks at $1.20; Rolled Barley, Kaffir Corn, Feed Meal, Cracked Corn, Mixed Chicken Feed, Garden Seeds of all kinds, Coulson's Chicken Food, Shells for Chickens, Oil and Gasoline.

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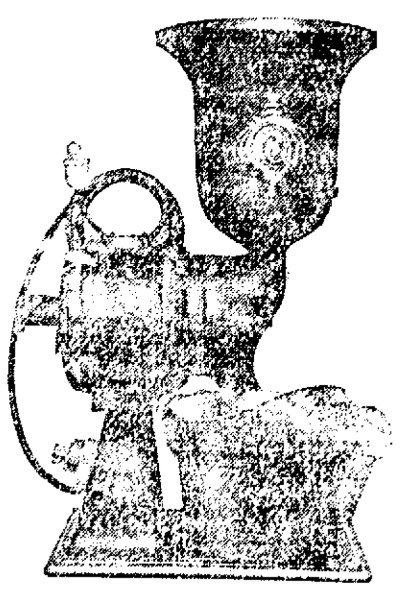

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Local Events.

Fresh oysters at Crenshaw's grocery 25 cents per dozen.

If you have any chickens for sale see J. C. Baldridge. tf

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ames are the proud parents of a little son, born to them Monday, October 15th.

4000 packets of garden seed, 1 cent per packet. San Gabriel Valley Milling Company.

Miss Belle Avery has returned from a visit of several months at her home in Wisconsin.

B. F. Royer of Burr Oak, Kansas, was a guest Friday of old Kansas neighbors, I. R. Jordan and family.

To Rent—Cottage close in. Apply to J. H. Matthews, real estate, Covina.

Wm. McFarlane came up from Long Beach Wednesday to attend to ranch interests here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. DeWitt spent Sunday with the former's parents at Long Beach.

W. S. McGiffert returned Saturday evening from a few week's visit with friends and relatives in his old home in Kansas.

Place your spare cash in the Covina Valley Savings Bank a safe investment at 4 per cent.

Mrs. J. A. Elliott and little daughter of San Pedro arrived Friday morning and are guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Goodell.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Crawford, recent arrivals from the East, have rented the Reed cottage on West College street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bothwell of Los Angeles and J. L. Shuey of Long Beach were guests at the home of George Smith last Sunday.

Wanted: Second hand sacks by the San Gabriel Valley Milling Company.

Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Huddlestone returned Sunday evening after spending several days at Long Beach, Los Angeles and Pomona.

4000 packets of garden seed, 1 cent per packet. San Gabriel Valley Milling Company.

You are cheating yourself if you have not tried our top notch bread. Nothing better anywhere.
Warner, Whitsel & Co.

Mrs. W. G. Doughty and family returned Sunday evening after a short visit with relatives at Lordsburg.

The B. Y. P. U. of the Baptist Church held a business and social session at the home of Rev. and Mrs. S. W. Gage on Friday evening last.

Mrs. J. Amon and daughter, Miss Clara Amon, returned Sunday evening from Redondo, where they spent several days. Mr. Amon returned Wednesday.

Mrs. H. R. Dodder and children, who were called here a few weeks ago by the serious illness of the former's father, Geo. Smith, left Wednesday for their home in Clinton, Oklahoma.

A beautiful nickel steel B. and H. Lamp, No. 2 center draft burner, complete with chimney and 10 inch white dome shade, $2.00.
Warner, Whitsel & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G Harris who, have been spending a few months in Tuolumne, where Mr. Harris has been employed in the mines, have returned and will spend the winter in Covina.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Chenev and children, who have spent the past seven months in hotel business in Amboy, Minnesota, returned Wednesday and are satisfied that Southern California is the place to live.

Miss Ellen Beach Yaw left last Monday on her annual concert tour, which will include all the principal American cities. Miss Yaw will not go to Europe this season and expects to spend her vacation at the home of her sister, Mrs. Ben F. Thorpe. She was accompanied as far as Seattle by her mother, Mrs. M. J. Yaw.

We know the offer we make to the ladies of Covina this week will interest every one of them. Coming now, just at the opening of the fall season, it is almost unheard of and any one will miss a great bargain if they do not take adrantage of it. We will make to order,-hats of any material you may select, free of charge, if material be purchased of us. This offer may be recalled at any time so do not delay. Also will place on sale Monday Oct. 22 all our trimmed hats at 25 per cent discount. You will make a great mistake if you not call early.
Miss McKiraban.

Top notch bread. 10 cent loaves in a class by itself.
Warner, Whitsel & Co.

For something extra in the eating line, go to Crenshaw's grocery and get some of their fresh oysters.

Mrs W. T. Weber of Los Angeles is visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. A. Miller.

Miss Claudene Curry of Long Beach was a guest Sunday of the Misses Overholtzer.

The opening dance of the season will be given tonight at the Womans Club House.

Dress hats of the most elegant style at very moderate prices at Mrs. Geo. W. Van Vliet's.

Mrs. J M. Whitsel was called suddenly to Whittier this week on account of the serious illness of her father, Job Osborn.

Illness has prevented F. E. Wolfarth, the jeweler, from being at his accustomed place of business the latter part of the week.

W. P. Marshall and Horace Snodgrass returned Tuesday from a fishing trip in the San Gabriel canyon. They caugh thirty-five fine trout.

O. C. Willoughby returned last Friday after spending a few weeks in Iowa, Missouri and Indian Territory.

Mrs. J. Shank of Los Angeles spent Thurdsay with friends and attended the meeting held at the Brethren Church.

Miss Edith F. Kirk of Altrincham, England, a cousin of Mrs. H. M. Faulder, is a guest at the home of Mrs. I. I. Cook of Second street.

Nobby, up-to-date street and walking hats, most attractive in design and felt that will wear forever. Prices rediculously low. Mrs. Geo. W. Van Vliet.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Herwick of Ocean Park, who have recently returned from a visit with relatives at Fort Collins, Colo., are visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Madison.

Mrs. G. D. Jennings and daughter, Carolyn, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. H. B. Plant, left Tuesday morning for San Francisco where they will be guests of relatives for three weeks.

A party consisting of E. H. Lahee, Geo. W. Griffiths, Dana C. King and R. C. Pollard went to Elsinore Sunday in an auto to be on the ground early in the morning. They report excellent sport with the quail and bagged 20 brace of fine duck.

The quail season opened on Monday and hunters report the birds more plentiful than for years. Local sportsmen have been securing excellent spo t near Vineland and among those who secured the limit the first day were A. J. Eckles, Gilbert McInturff, S. L. Spencer and Harley Garrison.

The first meeting of the Amphion Club, which is composed of the prominent music loving society of the valley, will be held at the palatial home of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. LaFetra at Glendora next Friday, October 26. It is hoped all members will be present.

Dr. and Mrs. L. S. Thorpe, who were recently married at the country home of the the bride's parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. Lillienerantz at Aptos, Cal., are now occupying the doctor's cosy bungalow on Cypress avenue, which he has recently enlarged and refurnished.

Mr. M. E. Longbeed, owner of a productive orange grove on Rowland avenue, at present a resident of Los Angeles, while in Covina yesterday informed the Argus that his son, Herbert Edward, will take charge of the property in December, taking up his permanent residence amongst us. Our citizens will heartily welcome this young man, whom, report says, will soon take unto himself a partner.

Twenty of the members of the local W. O. W. Camp, including the degree team, drove to Azusa Monday evening where the team did the work during the initiation of two candidates. After the meeting of the lodge, a bounteous supper was served by the members of the Azusa lodge.

Miss Daisy Doughty, who moved here a few weeks ago from Lordsburg with her mother and brother, was pleasantly surprised Monday evening when a party of friends called at her home on East Center street to spend the evening with her. The evening was merrily spent in music and refreshments of cake, coffee, pickles and sandwiches were served by the self invited guests. Those present were Mr and Mrs. C. W. Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. Geo Van Vliet, G. W. White and Misses Bertha Crabb, Laura Freeman, Lisetta Schutz, Violet Tucker and Mabel White.

Fine salt for hay, 30c for 50 pounds. Warner, Whitsel & Co.

White Canadian peas, new crop, at Matthews', Citrus avenue.

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. Franz Richter, on Oct 9, a son.

Come out and join the crowd in the Cook building tonight.

L. Mehnert spent Monday in Long Beach on business.

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Hemphill on Monday, Oct. 15, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. James Perry moved into their new cottage on Orange street Tuesday.

For Sale:—One two horse farm wagon and two horses. JosephCurtis, Cor. Puente and Grand. 11p

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Top notch bread. 10 cent loaves in a class by itself.
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For 10 days, good recleaned wheat for $1.40 cwt. in half ton lots.
San Gabriel Valley Milling Company

You can find nothing prettier in the way of ladies' hats than those shown by Miss McKiraban.

A clean, wholesome game and surely will be run in a clean wholesome way, Box Ball in the Cook building.

Do you know what Box Ball is? The finest and most popular game of skill now running in the East. Tonight in the Cook building, on Citrus avenue.

Ladies, the game beats any other known for exercise. Lighter than the old time game of bowling. In the Cook building tonight.

On Monday morning at five o'clock, Max Alfred, the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Vincent, quietly passed away at the age of nine weeks. The funeral services were held at the home at 2 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon, Rev. A. Fletcher officiating. The little one was laid to rest in the Oakdale cemetery.

On Saturday evening, Oct. 13th, thirty-five members of the Orange Blossom Circle gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Willoughby on Howard street and gave them a surprise, it being the birthday of both of them. The evening was pleasantly spent in games, after which ice cream and cake were served. The Circle presented Mr. and Mrs. Willoughby with a beautiful willow rocker.

A goodly number of our citizens were at the depot on Monday morning to bid adieu to Dr. Roxie E. Bates, who left on that train for an indefinite stay in the East, where she goes on account of the feeble health of her mother, whose home is at Wauseon, Ohio. The doctor, who has been a resident for a number of years, will be missed in many circles, for few of our citizens have more thoroughly endeared themselves to the hearts of the people than Dr. Bates in her quiet and unassuming way. She was always seeking to do good and the Argus hopes that her mother may be restored to health so that she can soon again return to the many friends who now regret her departure.

The members of the Women of Woodcraft entertained their friends at a poverty social on Tuesday night. A most interesting program was rendered which consisted of a piano duet by Misses Elsie Spencer and Anna Reynolds; recitation by Hal Larabee; nail driving contest by the ladies, of which Miss Byrd Reynolds won the first honors, a box of bon bons, Mrs. O. C. Willoughby, second honors, a hair pin receiver, and Mrs. H. E. Lane, consolation prize; a button sewing contest by the gentlemen, of which Clos Jeans won first honors, Henry Harris second honors, Charles Gates receiving the consolation prize; and a potato race, in which the ladies were victorious. Sandwiches, cake and coffee were served by the ladies of the circle, after which ice cream and games were indulged in. The prizes for the best dressed lady and gent were given to Miss Elsie Camel and J. A. Schumm.

Baths at Asher's barber shop.

You get bread that you like when you ask for the top notch loaf.
Warner, Whitsel & Co.

Fresh oysters at Crenshaw's, 55 cents per can, 25 cents per dozen in bulk.

For Sale—Stove, a 830 blue flame gasoline in excellent condition, price $10. Telephone 1224. tf

You like oysters! Crenshaw will carry them at all times during the season.

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Thoroughbred young Plymouth Rock cockrels for sale. First house east of harness shop. Mrs. R. Baker. tf.

Cup quality in coffee. Isn't that what you want? Try our blends, Imperial per pound, 25 cents. Premium per pound 40 cents.
Warner, Whitsel & Co.

Notice of Hearing of Petition for Probate of Will.

No. 10117.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles.

In the matter of the estate of Elizabeth W. Watson, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the petition of Geo. L. Sanders for the probate of the Holographic will of Elizabeth W. Watson, deceased, and for the issuance of letters of administration with the will annexed thereon to Geo. L. Sanders, will be heard at 10 o'clock a. m. on the 10th day of November, 1906, at the Courtroom of Department 2 of the Superior Court of Los Angeles County, California.

Dated October 16th, 1906.
C. G. KEYES, County Clerk.
By W. L. Warran, Deputy.
Geo. L. Sanders, Att'y for Petitioner.
First publication Oct. 20, 1906.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Olga M. Salisbury, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator of the estate of Olga M. Salisbury, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit the same with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator at the office of Geo. L. Sanders, 325 Wilcox building, Los Angeles, California, hereby designated as the place of business of said estate in the County of Los Angeles.

Dated this 20th day of October, A.D. 1906. ALSOM A. SALISBURY,
Administrator of the estate of Olga M. Salisbury, deceased.
Geo. L. Sanders, Attorney for Administrator.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of William A. Field, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator of the estate of William A. Field, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit the same with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator at the office of Geo. L. Sanders, 325 Wilcox building, Los Angeles, California, hereby designated as the place of business of said estate in the County of Los Angeles.

Dated this 20th day of October, A. D., 1906. JOHN. S. THAYER,
Administrator of the Estate of William A. Field, deceased.
Geo. L. Sanders, Attorney for Administrator.

Certificate of Partners.

Doing business under the firm names of California Towel & Apron Co. and the Union Towel and Case Co.

Know all men by these presents:

That A. G. Williams and J. J. Newell are co-partners, doing business together under the firm names and styles of California Towel & Apron Co. and also Union Towel and Case Co., which are trade names used for business purposes, and that the principal place of business of said co-partnership is at Los Angeles, California.

A. G. WILLIAMS
J. J. NEWELL

State of California, County of Los Angeles, ss.

Personally appeared before me this 7th day of September, 1906, A. G. Williams and J. J. Newell, known to me to be the persons who executed the foregoing instrument, and each acknowledged to me that he had executed the same. George C. Washburn,
Notary public in and for the
[Seal] County of Los Angeles,
State of California.
Geo. L. Sanders, Attorney for Co-Partnership.

Certificate of Partnership.

In the firm of Kunny Bros.

Know all men by these presents:

That John Kunny and Peter R. Kunny are co-partners, doing business together under the firm name and style of Kunny Bros., which is a fictious name used for business purposes as a designation of the persons interested in said copartnership, and that the principal place of business of said copartnership is at Los Angeles, California, and each of said partners reside at Los Angeles, California.

JOHN KUNNY
PETER R. KUNNY

State of California, County of Los Angeles, ss.

Personally appeared before me, this 2nd day of August, 1906, John Kunny and Peter R. Kunny, known to me to be the persons who executed the foregoing instrument and each acknowledged to me that he had executed the same. George W. Washburn,
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A man can't help having affection for a woman who can make a good apple pie.

Strange thing about earthquakes is that they miss so many places where they are needed.

Sympathy is sweet, but when a man has pounded his finger it doesn't help him materially for a while.

People who never could spell correctly will be glad of the presidential license to spell some other way.

Some of the best friends of the administration think that in the matter of the spelling reform it went off half kokt.

Society men who enlist in the navy should bear in mind that the duties performed there are not known as functions.

A Russian Grand Duke when drilling his loyal and loving soldiers, should always take pains to stand well out of range.

It is scarcely necessary to add that the Sage who failed in New York a day or two ago is an entirely different kind of Sage.

Even should the scientists agree as to the cause of earthquakes, it would not be any great satisfaction to the sufferers.

Chicago has a World Betterment League, but so far it hasn't found it necessary to go away from home to find something to do.

A Pittsburg man has made a breakfast food testing plant of his wife's stomach. This is simply reversing the rule of the ages past.

A professor has discovered a calendar of the year 4241 B. C. If they had calendars then why they must have had insurance companies, too.

The Czar's policy is said to be one of strong-handed reform. In the case of the douma it looked more like the nonresilient toe of the royal boot.

Two hundred and forty thousand species of insects exist on the earth. If you don't believe it count 'em the next time you eat your picnic lunch in the woods.

We don't think there will ever be much of an argument on the proposition that Russell Sage had more sense than all his nephews and nieces combined.

This country spent $81,000,000 for coffee last year. The figures would be still more interesting if we were informed how much genuine coffee this sum paid for.

It may be very true that the Czar is getting over $6,000,000 for spending money, but it is pretty certain that he is not squandering any of it on moonlight excursion tickets.

"The American woman of the upper class," says Professor Thomas, "has superior rights and no duties, and yet she is worrying herself to death because she has lost her connection with reality." Think it over, ladies.

Newsboys in Boston are establishing a fund to send one of their number to college. They have already raised about two thousand dollars. This fact tells more about America than a volume of comment by a Russian lecturer or a German philosophic critic of our institutions.

The proposition to tunnel the English Channel has again been revived, and an English engineer has been invited to make plans for it. The channel is twenty miles wide at the narrowest place, consequently the tunnel would be a long one. It is likely that the channel will be tunneled before railroad trains are run under Bering Strait, but neither will happen very soon.

Nearly all the secretaries and stenographers attached to the late Russian Douma were women, and women are numerous in the ranks of the Russian revolutionists. The arbitrary arrest and banishment of a husband or father has turned many a Russian woman into an enemy of the government that has been guilty of such outrages. Free Russia, when it comes, will owe much to the Russian women.

No psychologist ever has arisen to explain why it is that a man who would not trust his own brother with a 5-cent piece will amiably turn over several hundreds of his dollars to some glaring rascal who advertises to pay prodigious dividends from a sugar mine in the mountains of the moon. The success of these schemes of finance is enough to make "Hungry Joe" and all the other old-time bunko men turn in their graves. It is so simple that no rascal can afford to be "broke."

No higher tribute can be paid to a foreigner by a Japanese than his belief in his power to keep silence; that power is one of the most tremendous sources of the nation's strength. Much marvel has been elicited by the inviolate safety during the war of strategic secrets, the common possession of thousands of people at once. There were a few traitors here and there in the beginning of the war; there were none when it was ended. They were discovered and convicted by their own comrades and swift and terrible was the execution of justice upon them. Only in the service to which they belonged were these painful incidents known; they were described when the war was over.

Now and again one of the hundreds of thousands of capable men in comparatively humble positions rises into prominence because of public interest in something with which he may be connected. There is the case of A. Pappa, the head pilot of the Suez canal, who has taken many ships through the narrow strait without attracting public attention. But he steered the dry dock Dewey through the canal, a bulk so large that it practically filled the whole width of the waterway at the depth required to float it, and did not let it touch bottom once. Now the naval officer in command has mentioned the old Greek in his report, praising him in unmeasured terms. There is many a "mute, inglorious Milton" doing his singing or hers with a shovel or a plane, a needle or a broom, who deserve all that can be said of heroes or heroines. They are doing that which their hands find to do as well as possible to do it. No one can do more.

Ethnologists say, as the result of their observations, that the racial differences which exist among mankind are very slight once we get below the surface. Taking humanity as a whole, it is said that one man will fight as bravely as another up to a certain point, that courage is a common attribute of all mankind and that fundamental ethical considerations are respected to the same extent by all the tribes of men. It is found, in short, that the difference between the man of one nation and the man of another nation is not essential but temperamental. This conclusion receives frequent confirmation. In the steamship disaster off the Spanish coast a few weeks ago the obvious deficiency was not lack of courage upon the part of the officers and crew but a lack of discipline and self-control. The Latin temperament is not the temperament for sudden and menacing emergencies. It is the temperament of impulse, of enthusiasm, of ebullient bravery. It lacks the self-poise and imperturbability of the northern character. Take them man for man and it is probable that the crew of the Sirio would have charged a forlorn hope with greater intrepidity than an equal number of Scandinavians or Englishmen or Americans or Germans would have done. That is because the Latin temperament lacks the calculating quality which estimates danger. But confronted with a peril in which the spectacular and emotional elements were wanting the Italian sailors lost their heads. They "went to pieces," to use a colloquialism, not from lack of courage but from temperamental inability to confront the unexpected. We may say, in other words, that the Latin temperament is not the seafaring temperament. When matched against the Teutonic races on the ocean the Latins have gone down to defeat. The invincible armada strewed its shattered timbers on the shores of the British Islands. The navies of Napoleon were forever undoing at sea the victories of that matchless commander ashore. The galleys of the Romans were more transports than war vessels. The Latin fights and fights valiantly, but he prefers to fight men instead of wind and wave, and he prefers to fight men on land instead of on the sea. But this, as we have pointed out, is no impugnment of his courage; it is merely a phase of his temperament. The temperate zone breeds men of slower imagination but of consequently greater sang froid than are bred in warmer climes. The north excels in steady achievement and dauntless will; the south is pre-eminent in esprit, in art and imagination. At the bottom, however, the Latin and the Teuton are equals. Their superficial differences can be laid to climate and environment.

Sentimental Surgery.

A party of college students, celebrating a football victory in New York, ran into an unexpected difficulty in the shape of some policemen, and after the smoke of the battle had cleared away, as the political orators say, it was necessary to cart one of the young men to a hospital and fix up his head.

The young surgeon in charge of such cases put the collegian on the table and looked him over. He had a long gash in his forehead. The surgeon cleansed the wound and began to sew it up. He labored for half an hour and then burst into the office of the doctor in charge.

"I can't do anything with that young chap in there," he said.

"What's the matter?" asked his superior.

"Why, every time I put in a stitch he pulls it out and says: 'She loves me,' and when I put in the next one he pulls that out and says: 'She loves me not.'"—Saturday Evening Post.

Possible Explanation.

"I wonder why the editor prints the marriage notices directly under the death notices?" queried the typewriter boarder, as she glanced over the local paper.

"I don't know," rejoined the fussy bachelor, "unless it is to remind us that the fools are not all dead yet."

A woman taking on a second marriage must feel the same as a man who has always worn tailor-made suits and then changes to hand-me-downs.

What has become of the girl who crocheted trimming for her wedding clothes?

Popular Science

A remarkable botanical specimen of Japan is a hollow tree trunk sixty-five feet in circumference containing a living tree nine feet in circumference. The older tree was destroyed about 130 years ago, leaving thirty feet of trunk, and the inner tree is about 110 years old.

Snake venom, says a British physician, has been shown by recent research to be a highly composite substance, containing various poisonous proteid bodies, which are variously affected by heat and fluorescent solutions in sunlight. That it has so little toxic effect when taken by the mouth is due to its slight absorption by the stomach and alteration by the bile and pancreatic juice.

The oldest stone ax known is claimed by M. B. Cotesworth, a Yorkshire man. The semi-circular blade is about eight inches across, an inch and a half thick, and ground down to a fine edge, with a stiff, stout haft, possibly cut to fit into a wooden cleft handle. Striated scratches prove its pre-glacial origin, and establish the existence of man in the North of England in pre-glacial times.

Corticite, the new Portuguese heat insulating material, has granulated cork for its principal component, and it is claimed to be a perfect insulator, resisting the greatest extremes of climate and the attacks of insects, even of white ants. It can be sawed and bored like wood. It is not inflammable, and is of value for many purposes. A covering of it for steam pipes and boilers is claimed to effect a great saving of heat, correspondingly reducing the temperature of the boiler room.

The new fish car of Dr. Eugene Erlweln, a German, carries no heavy tank of water, but keeps the fish alive during long journeys in a supply of liquid just sufficient to keep the gills moist. Small pumps keep the water in constant circulation, passing it through an apparatus that charges it with oxygen and extracts the carbonic acid. In the laboratory the fish are placed on shelves in a large glass case, and here, entirely out of water, pike, trout, bass and other finned creatures live contentedly for an indefinite time, having been shown to be as much alive as ever at the end of thirty hours. The oxygen supplied is kept moist by passing through water and by a wet cloth on the floor of the case.

Durinng the celebration of the fete of the summer solstice on the summit of the Eifel tower an extraordinary megaphone, capable of carrying the human voice to a distance of nearly two miles, was employed to amaze the Parisians. The apparatus is the invention of Messrs. Laudet and Gaumont. The immense magnification of sound is produced by the aid of a series of explosions of a detonating gas. The detonations are governed in period and intensity by the movements of the stylus over the phonographic record bearing the original impressions of the sonorous vibrations. As a greater or lesser quantity of gas is admitted the intensity of the sound is varied. With this machine words uttered in an ordinary tone are clearly heard more than 300 feet away.

According to Dr. P. Remlinger, of the Pasteur Institute of Constantinople, all recent experience is united in proving that hydrophobia, although sometimes spontaneously curable in dogs, is invariably fatal in human beings unless its development is prevented by antirabic inoculation. Dr. Remlinger reviews, in the Revue Scientifique, the various recent efforts to discover a positive cure for hydrophobia. The first experiments with radium appeared to give promise of success in this direction, but later investigation has shown that the apparent efficacy of radio-activity in destroying the virus was deceptive. All other alleged cures have also been found ineffective, but, fortunately, the preventive power of the Pasteur treatment continues to be demonstrated whenever that treatment is applied in time.

The Nufangi Family.

Mother wears the "Nushape" corset
(Bill-boards show you how they look),
Sister keeps her skirt together
With a "Nu-Kind" nottahook.

At our house we feed on "Biss-Kuts,"
Drink the "Mako-Jav Kaw-Fee,"
Spread our bread with "Won-Kow" butter
Dip our toast in "See-Lon" tea.

Bridget blacks the stove with "Poll-Ish,"
Uses "Klee-Nit" on the floor:
With an "E-Z" brush she scrubs the
Handle of the big front door.

All we wear, eat, use is just as
Nu-Fash-U'nd as it can be,
Don't you think it's Id-I-Ot-Ic?
So at least thinks B. L. T.

Why We Study Grammar.

A teacher in a public school of Boston once had great difficulty in imparting to a boy pupil at 10 certain elementary principles of grammar. In class one day the instructor experienced more than the usual amount of trouble with the lad. In desperation the teacher finally blurted out the question: "At least, you can tell me why we study grammar?" "Yes, ma'am," returned the pupil; "we study grammar so that we can laugh at the mistakes of others."—Harper's Weekly.

An Exception.

"I never heard such a lot of gossip. The walls in that boarding house have ears, haven't they?"

"Yes, everywhere except about the dumb waiter."—Baltimore American.

LEGAL INFORMATION.

The right of local self-government in Rhode Island, which has been strongly urged in view of the peculiar origin of that State, is denied, in Horton vs. Newport (R. I.), 1 L. R. A. (N. S.) 512, as against a statute regulating the police force of the State.

The power of a court of equity to prevent majority stockholders from exercising their statutory power to reduce the capital stock in order to relieve defaulting stockholders from meeting their obligations is asserted in Theis vs. Durr (Wis.), 1 L. R. A. (N. S.) 571.

The distinction between private and public functions of a municipality is considered in Dickinson vs. Boston (Mass.), 1 L. R. A. (N. S.) 664, which denies municipal liability for negligence of the city superintendent of the lamp department in respect to an unsafe lamp-post.

A company manufacturing and bottling a beverage is held, in Watson vs. Augusta Brewing Company (Ga.), 1 L. R. A. (N. S) 1178, to be liable to one injured by swallowing pieces of glass while drinking from one of such bottles, which he procured from a merchant, who had purchased the same from the manufacturer.

The violation of a municipal ordinance as to the manner of stringing the electric light wire which charged a broken telephone wire, or the imperfect insulation of the wire, is held, in Stark vs. Muskegon Traction & L. Co. (Mich.), 1 L. R. A. (N. S.) 822, not to be the proximate cause of an injury to a boy who seized the broken telephone wire to receive a shock.

An exception to the rule that equity will not specifically enforce, as between parties in pari delicto, a contract which is opposed to public policy, is applied in Seattle Electric Company vs. Snoqualmie Falls Power Company (Wash.), 1 L. R. A. (N. S.) 1032, by restraining the breach of a contract to furnish a supply of electricity to a street-car and electric-lighting company upon the ground that such breach would result in a great public inconvenience.

A limitation upon the right of one to use his own name in his own business is declared in Morton vs. Morton (Cal.), 1 L. R. A. (N. S.) 660, holding that one who had established a business under a particular name, which he placed on the hats of his agents to inform customers that were his representatives, could enjoin another of the same name, engaged in the same business, from using such name as a hat label in substantially the same way as the former, so as to deceive the public.

Judkins Followed Directions.

William Allen White, the Kansas editor, tells in Harper's Weekly a tale of the trials of a young reporter. His editor had given him instruction in the first principles of making a newspaper story: "Tell in the first few lines what your story is about. Give the substance at once. Then follow with a recital of the facts, and conclude with interviews with the people concerned. That is the only orderly way of writing your story."

The new man gave close attention to this lesson, the result of which was that he handed in that night a news item which read as follows:

"Rufus Jenkins, a carpenter, slipped and fell in Vine street yesterday, and sprained his ankle badly.

"Mr. Jenkins was walking along Vine street, when suddenly his feet slipped from under him and he fell, spraining one of his ankles.

"When seen by a reporter he said, 'I was walking along Vine street, when in some way my feet slipped from under me, and I fell heavily to the sidewalk, spraining one of my ankles.'

"Mr. Frank Fuller said, 'I was walking behind Mr. Jenkins on Vine street, when I saw him slip and fall to the sidewalk. When I assisted him to arise he told me that he had sprained one of his ankles.'

"Dr. Thomas Rich, who attended Mr. Jenkins, said, 'Mr. Jenkins had a badly sprained ankle, due to a fall in Vine street. He will be laid up for some time.'

"Mr. Jenkins could not attend last night's meeting of the carpenters' union. The president, in convening the meeting, expressed regret that Mr. Jenkins could not attend, as he had slipped and fallen in Vine street, spraining one of his ankles."

When She Took His Seat.

Ryder—I saw Mrs. Hawtey in the car to-day.

Mrs. Ryder—How did she look?

Ryder—Oh! She looked all right, but judging from what she said she was not like herself at all to-day.

Mrs. Ryder—Why, what did she say?

Ryder—"Thank you."—Philadelphia Press.

Obliging.

"So," said Mr. Goldbuns, severely, "so young man, you want to marry my daughter, eh? What is your salary?"

The young man's answer was meek and respectful.

"Whatever you think I'm worth, sir," he said.—Cleveland Leader.

Something Else.

"Do you ever eat veal?"

"No, I guess not. I used to think I did, however, until these packing house exposures."—Houston Post.

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"God Almighty never made such a looking object, and the devil himself has too much sense to get himself up in that shape. If he came to Indianapolis looking like that you'd all go callyhootin', and you wouldn't stop till you got plumb across White river. No, the devil wants people to stay at home when he comes to do business with them. He knows that if he should send a message that he was coming in on the 10:30 train in that kind of a rig you'd all skedaddle. The Mayor and the Council and the band would never meet him at the station and give him the keys of the city. I don't mean to say that there are not plenty of city officials who would welcome him and give the city over to him, but not if he came in that disguise."

The Rev. Mr. Small declared that he believes the devil has the power to assume an angelic appearance closely approaching that he held before the fall. "Now, if you heard a knock on the door some night and went there and found a beautiful angel standing, you wouldn't say, 'Scat! you old devil, you!' would you? The devil with his Sunday clothes on is the biggest puzzle in angelology.

"Now, we have a funny idea about angels. We believe an angel is a willowy, peachblow, sixteen-year-old girl, with molasses-candy hair down her back, and that she carries a gold harp in one hand and a palm of victory in the other, and on her head she wears a golden crown of glory, and she picks on the harp and makes music to beat the band. Anybody that knows anything of the Scriptures knows God never made a woman angel—they are all he-angels. He made a lot of he-angels and lost about a third of them the first chance they had to get away.

"When I was a kid and went to Sunday school I used to sing 'I want to be an angel, and with the angels stand,' but not any more. Since I've read the Bible and got religion that is the last thing I want to be."—Indianapolis Star.

He Knew Mrs. Barker.

The Barkers possessed three large, intelligent tortoise-shell cats, and sometimes as many as three families of kittens. Mrs. Barker was much too tender-hearted to drown or chloroform the superfluous kittens, yet she could not keep them all; consequently she devoted much time and thought to finding happy homes for the tortoise-shell progeny.

One spring the daughter of a neighbor who had moved some years previously to another town happened to pay Mrs. Barker a visit. As the little visitor was about to depart, Mrs. Barker exclaimed suddenly:

"By the way, Alice, wouldn't you like a kitten to take home with you?"

"I'd like it," returned Alice, wistfully, "but the very last thing father said when I came away was: 'Alice, whatever else you do, don't bring home any cats.'"

Effect on Society.

Young Man (in Goldfield)—Mayme, it's awfully hot in this restaurant. If you don't mind it, I'll take my coat off.

Mayme—I won't have it, George. If you're going to attack this ice cream with me you'll have to weigh in with your fighting togs on.

Dubious.

"That boy of mine," said Mr. Bingo, "exhibits a decided fondness for the violin. Don't you think I ought to encourage him in it?"

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"No!" cried her sister, excitedly casting a pod in the pan and its contents on the piazza floor.

"Yes," asserted Mrs. Breckley. "The president and first vice president were both absent, so she had to. She was nervous, but she has the Morse pride for all her soft little ways, and she sat up fine and straight when she took the chair.

"'Now we'll begin, if you please, ladies,' she said, patting those pretty white curls of hers and smiling round on us all. So the secretary murmured 'Records,' and read them; and when she finished Tranquilla nodded to her—she used to be in Tranquilla's Sunday school class, you know—and said, sweetly, 'Thank you, deary. Next!'

"We certainly were amased; but we liked it, bless her old heart! Anna Bracy—she's keen on parliamentary law, too—laughed right out in a delightful sort of ripple, and then she stood up promptly, as if she'd been called on to recite, and began telling about the annex for aged couples she wants added to the home. It was a pretty full presentation, but of course we expected other speeches and discussion. Not a bit of it! The minute Anna sat down Tranquilla leaned forward, all pink, and her eyes shining, and said she:

"'Why, Anna, what a beautiful idea! Of course we'll all vote for it. Let's do it right away. Now, ladies, if everybody who wants Anna's annex will please hold up her right hand, we'll be able to provide a haven where some of these poor old faithful couples she's told us about can end their lives together in peace and comfort. All vote in favor, now, ladies, if you please!'

"Well, we voted—all in favor; and the secretary thought to call for 'contrary-minded,' so it would be legal; but there weren't any. Then we adjourned, because Tranquilla had left the chair and was congratulating Anna, and everybody was laughing and congratulating everybody else, and full of enthusiasm. We'll settle details later—when Tranquilla doesn't preside.

"All the same, Susan, good-will and readiness are more than good machinery; and though I can't say I'd recommend her methods for general adoption, I can tell you this: If anybody but our own selves dared make fun of our second vice president there'd be trouble!"—Youth's Companion.

In Finland reindeer are worth only about $7.50 a head. A reindeer can travel about 130 miles a day.

CURES BY INCANTATION.

Mysticism Declared to Have a Large Part in Healing Art.

There are remedies of wide and impressive application that appeal to a certain substratum of human nature, that have existed in all lands and all nations, says the Ohio State Journal. We have one of these instances in Tuscarawas County, where a woman is reported as being very successful in routing disease by pressing upon the affected part some old Indian bones and repeating some linguistic formula intended to frighten away the distemper. It is said that she was so successful that people came from a long distance to subject their complaints to her incantations, and that wonderful cures are reported. She has now been arrested for unlawful practice of the art of cure, and is to be tried for deluding the public.

It seems to be inherent in human nature that disease is wholly subjective and can be removed by treating it as a mental disorder. This idea begins very early in life, when the fond mother kisses the stubbed toe or the stricken hand of her boy, gives it a few soft taps and tells him "Now it is all right," whereupon he goes about his play and forgets his pain. And later in life various devices are resorted to to remove warts and moles by pressing upon them a straw or a leaf, at the same time repeating some gibberish and burying the straw and leaf, to find soon after when they have rotted that the wart or mole has disappeared.

There is a church in a West Indian island where the old priest was noted for his many cures. He was a jolly, happy-hearted, mirth-dispensing man, whose specific process of cure was to furnish a silver ornament for a leg or arm or head, or whatever part of the body was affected, which the patient was to wear, with the blessing of the priest. It is wonderful how many people got well from this simple process. The theory was no doubt akin to that of the good mother who kissed the stubbed toe and sent her boy away smiling.

Some day the philosophers who are looking for a sixth sense will find away back, hid in the subjective somewhere, a gentle desire to hitch one's fate to the belief that there is such a thing as thinking one's way into gentle paths if the sense is sufficiently impressed. It is possible the sense may not be found, but there will be considerable interest in looking for it.

Realized It Herself.

The angry waves broke upon the stately vessel.

"Isn't the commotion terrible?" exclaimed the young man with the steamer cap and the camera.

"O, yes!" moaned the pale young woman in the steamer chair. "You feel it, too, do you?"

FRIENDS.

They Are a Life Prisoner and a Crippled Girl.

Those who are interested in the great work that Mrs. Ballington Booth is carrying on in behalf of prisoners will remember that every year she sends out through the newspapers an appeal for aid to carry Christmas cheer to the prisoners' families, many of whom are in deep want.

In a recent issue of Forward is the story of two letters which came in the same mail in response to her appeal. Each letter contained a dollar. One was from a man who had spent already twenty-four years in jail, and knew that the years that were left must all be spent in the same dark walls; the other from a little crippled girl, whose life was spent upon a sick-bed.

The girl's dollar Mrs. Booth spent in helping a poor family, but the "life" man's, she decided, should be used in buying something for the little prisoner of pain whose letter had come with his.

The next time that she visited the prison she found the "life" man waiting eagerly to see her. He had read in the prison paper how his dollar had been used, and a new idea had come to him. The warden allowed him the use of an old shanty, in which he raised canaries, and he wanted to send one to the little cripple, if she would care for it. Accordingly, a letter was written to her asking if she would care to have a canary. Her answer was full of delight. She had never had a bird in her life, she wrote.

So in the spring a singing canary went from the prison to the sick-room and a letter came back to the prisoner—the beginning of a correspondence which has continued ever since. Neither will ever see the other, but to each has now come one of life's great gifts—a friend. From the prisons of sin and suffering each soul found its way to fredom through the same golden key of kindness.

The story is only one of many. Mrs. Booth can tell countless instances of courage and unselfishness and even splendid heroism among her "boys," and no one will ever know all the blessings that have come to the world from lives shut in to pain and suffering. But every such story bears a solemn question to those who are well and free. If these two, "out of the apparent wreck of all that makes life worth living," could yet give joy to others, what are we doing with our infinitely greater opportunities?

Necessarily.

Dinglebats—The oculist charged you $5 for taking a grain of sand out of your eye? That's pretty steep, isn't it?

Hingleby—I thought so, till I looked over his bill. It was for "removing a foreign substance from the cornea of [illegible]" [illegible]

JOY AT BABOON'S SUICIDE.

Crew of Ship Happy When Aguinaldo Ends His Life in Ocean.

When the British tramp steamship Crown of Castile arrived at the Bush Stores, South Brooklyn, yesterday she was short one member of the crew that had sailed with her from Manila, says the New York Herald. The missing one was Aguinaldo, a big baboon, belonging to John Cohen, cook, and which committed suicide by jumping into the sea after Capt. Alexander Smith's Irish terrier.

There was not a remaining member of the crew, made up of Lascars, Filipinos and Chinese, who was not glad that Aguinaldo had come to this end, for the animal had terrorized them all on the long voyage.

Capt. Smith had hired a cook and not a watchman, so when Cohen came on board with his baboon as big as a cabin boy he ordered it off. Then Aguinaldo saluted like a real man-o'-war's man, and it pleased the captain so much that he decided to ship it as an extra member of the crew. Cohen had assured the captain that the baboon would earn its board easily as a watchman and he proved this the first night out.

One of the Filipinos tried to steal some biscuits and after Aguinaldo had mauled him around the galley, at the word from Cohen, the man was thrown ten feet in the air. That was the last time a member of the crew tried to draw his rations except in the regular way.

Billy, the captain's terrier, seemed to take particular delight in snapping at Aguinaldo and then running for the cabin. Cohen, who had trained the baboon since it was three weeks old, had taught it that it could never go forward, and it would chase Billy to the bridge, gravely salute whoever was on watch, and then deliberately walk back to where the crew was and take it out on one of them.

Billy last Wednesday tried to escape and went aft instead of forward. Cornered, the dog jumped over the rail and into the sea. The baboon followed. Neither was rescued. No one mourned Aguinaldo.

Consequence of a Rash Act.

"Our wife," wrote the editor of the Spiketown Blizzard, "is sick from overwork. While she was snooping around our sanctum yesterday morning she found the office towel and insisted on taking it home and washing it. Such a thing never happened before, and with the help of the Lord it shall never happen again!"

Overdone.

Visitor—You seem to have a hat cleaning establishment in every block in this town. What's the use of [illegible]?

Resident—[illegible] you can walk [illegible]—Chicago Tribune.

Air Baths and Health.

Air baths, in the ancient sense of the word, should be revived by acclamation, says an eminent physician. The No-Hat Club of East Boston made a good beginning, and the conviction of experienced benefits caught on so quick that bareheaded youngsters, in gangs of ten or twelve, can now be met in every public park of that neighborhood.

Currents of air, bathing head, neck and the insteps of sandaled feet will do more than quinine to prevent summer fevers and sunstrokes. Sunstrokes, so miscalled, result from atmospheric heat or stove heat, added to the effects of a blood-heating dinner, and are so totally unconnected with their supposed cause that hatless nations knew them only from hearsay. They were unknown to the aborigines of our continent and had no terrors for such men as Emperor Hadrian, who traveled bareheaded and barearmed through the eighteen provinces of his world-empire and complained only once, when the storms of the Syrian desert filled his eyes with sand-dust.

Get all the glorious sunshine and health-giving air you can; saturate the system with it, thrive, live long and be healthy and happy.

Under the Influence.

"You may say what you please, Mr. Stodgell," said the hostess, with much earnestness, as she poured a cup of tea for the guest, "about meat being necessary for people who have to work, either with brain or muscle. I tell you it isn't so. There is more solid nutriment in a plate of beans or a saucer of oatmeal or cracked wheat than there is in a whole beefsteak."

"I am not prepared to dispute it, Mrs. Hymer," the guest observed, as she paused a moment.

"Scientific experiments prove it," she resumed. "Most of the material in a steak goes to waste, while the system assimilates nearly every particle of cereal or leguminous food, when it is properly prepared. Look at those powerful Japanese wrestlers, who live on rice. Look at the porters in Constantinople, each of whom can carry a piano on his back. Look at——"

"My wife always talks like that, Mr. Stodgell," interrupted the host, by way of explanation, as he passed a plate generously heaped with roast beef, potatoes and gravy to the guest, "when she is slightly under the influence of breakfast food."

Not Like Father.

While the Kaiser cultivates a mustache with the well-known upward twirl, his son, the crown prince, clips his straight across, toothbrush fashion. He seems to be developing an individuality of his own in other respects as well, and bids fair to become the antithesis of his father.

Ulster has sent out 1,056,529 emigrants during the last fifty years.

Of General Application.

It was observed concerning one of the pitchers in a certain professional baseball team that he was not a particularly brilliant player in his position. He had no better assortment of "drops," "out-curves" or "in-shoots" than the average pitcher, and his speed was not at all phenomenal, yet he seemed to have a faculty of winning games.

A frequent patron of his club once asked the captain for an explanation.

"How does it happen," he said, "that you generally win when he pitches?"

"Well," responded the captain, "you notice that he never chins the umpire, and never kicks?"

"Yes."

"He's always smiling."

"Yes."

"Always seems to be doing the best he can?"

"Yes."

"Well, do you think we don't notice that, too? We know he's a good fellow, we all like him, and when he's in the box we give him the very best support we've got in the shop. That's why we win games when he pitches."

Here is a principle with a wider field of application than a baseball field.

Dahl, alluding to the scarcity of them in an article in a recent number of the Naturwissenshaftliche Wockenschift, relates some interesting experiments which he made with a monkey. He colored some sweets with a certain colored dye and some bitter substances with that of another color and declares that after a few attempts the monkey learned to leave without even tasting these articles of food colored with the dye which indicated bitter-tasting substances and seized at once upon those which indicated sweets.

Varying the experiments sufficiently, he found that the monkey distinguished all the different colors readily save only dark blue. Dahl calls attention to the fact that Mayer has stated that many savage tribes cannot distinguish dark blue from black and that even children do not distinguish this color until later than all others.—Scientific American.

Continuous Politics.

"We must have a leader," said a member of the mob.

"What for?"

"So that we can have a revolution."

"And then?"

"We'll put him in authority."

"And then?"

"Another leader, of course, and another revolution."—Washington Star.

Gentle Knock.

Miss Quilpen (poetess of passion)—Have you seen my "Lines on August?"

Miss Capsicum—No; August who?

Most of the Irish annals are stated to have been written by Conaught men.

IRWINDALE.

Mrs. R. S. Edgar has been spending the week with her sister, Mrs. W. H. Brown of Los Angeles.

Mrs. Geo. J. Reynolds and daughter, Miss Byrd, were passengers to Los Angeles for the day yesterday.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Simpson expect in a few days to move into their pretty new home on Cypress avenue.

E. R. Coffman left yesterday for Temecula to purchase hay for the Camp Rincon resort in which he is interested.

Mr. and Mrs. DeForest Reichard of Hollywood were visiting at the home of the former's parents on Sunday.

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E. S. Robinson and his brother-in-law, Walter Legg of Compton, went gunning for quail on Monday in the brush near Vineland, returning early in the day with the limit.

The brush near Vineland is proving a paradise for the quail hunters this season. Charles Coltrin in company with some friends secured an excellent day,s sport on Tuesday.

Light shipments of late strawberries are being shipped daily from this point to theLos Angeles market. Prices are excellent, 14 cents a box being offered by crate.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Wilson and children who have been visiting for the past month with Mrs. Wilson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kingery, leave Tuesday for their home in Indian Territory.

Word has been received this week from Mrs. E. A. McDonald, formerly depot agent at this point, who recently moved to Indio on account of her health. Her many friends will be pleased to learn that the change is proving very beneficial and she is gaining rapidly in weight.

Mrs. L. E. Amidon and daughter Miss Marion, of Painesville, Ohio, arrived on Wednesday to spend the winter with the former's brother and his family, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Root. "Winter has set in suddenly in the East," says Mrs. Amidon, "and the day before we left over four inches of snow fell in Painesville, blockading traffic, and doing untold damage to shade trees which had not yet shed their leaves."

On Wednesday afternoon Miss Phoebe Brown entertained about twenty of her young lady friends of Irwindale at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Geo. T. Brown. This charming social affair was in honor of her friends, Miss Irene Wadey of Los Angeles and Miss Josie Heasty of Mayfield, Kansas, the latter of whom is spending the winter with her aunt, Mrs. Josie Crane. Dainy refreshments of ice cream and cake were served on the lawn.

We Want a Sewer.

Hello Central! Argus Office if you please! Hello Argus! Say I wish you would tell the City Dads at their next meeting on Tuesday night that we need a sewer system awful bad. The other night a big mule died up at the grading camp and they didn't have any sewer to throw him into so they dug a hole in the sand bank just above camp and when they went to roll him in, the sand fe l in so they put the mule on top to fill up the hole again, you can tell where it is when you go by. Several of these back yards and back of business houses in town here smell as though they had all lost a mule.

They tell me that mules and things are worth about 10 dollars apiece for fertilizer. If they are don't tell that man about it that goes around town picking up old bones and meat.

What's that? The one at Irwindale! No I didn't sell that five acres yet. I wish I could sell it. I'll bet I could take that much money and win every cent on the table that is in that poker game hat runs in the Old Covina house every Saturday night. What's that? No my wife wouldn't come up there after me. She's too much of a lady to butt into a poker game in full blast, besides women don't have to go up there any way.

Yes I think Mr. Fairly would make the best constable we could elect because he wouldn't stick his nose into a poker game, besides he don't play poker and ain't got no business there. I stumped [illegible] on 4 loads of ties that was [illegible] on the track at Bemis' [illegible] and 2nd street last night and [illegible] you'd have them used up [illegible] out of the way and 2 men [illegible] couldn't find the electric light [illegible]

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Eastern Star Special Crashes Into a Freight Train.

An excursion train carrying 190 members of the Order of the Eastern Star, who are in session in San Francisco, ran into a number of freight cars standing on the track of the coast line three-quarters of a mile from San Mateo at 10:30 o'clock Tuesday morning.

The train was running at the rate of twenty-five miles an hour at the time of the collision, and although the passengers and train crew were considerably shaken up, nobody was injured.

The engine of the special and one of the freight cars were wrecked.

Engineer Windus applied the brakes as soon as he saw the danger and remained at his post.

The passengers were transferred to another train and brought to San Francisco.

The special left Los Angeles at 9 o'clock Monday morning and in it were Mrs. F. E. Dudderar, Mrs. Belle Harris, of Covina, and Mrs. Graham of Charter Oak.

Camp Rincon Resort.

On Monday, Oct. 8, Emmet Pollard, one of the heaviest stock-holders in the Camp Rincon Resort, sold his entire holdings to E. R. Coffman, H. D. Briggs of Irwindale and C. E. Smith. Prior to this transfer Pollard had purchased the stock owned and controlled by A.P.Griffith, which was also transferred to the Coffman, Briggs, Smith interests.

This change necessitated the reorganization of the company, which has been effected with E. R. Coffman as president, H. D. Briggs, secretary, and C. E. Smith as superintendent. These men now control the majority of the stock, the balance being held by Glendora parties.

This resort is already one of the best patronized in the canyon and before next summer many improvements, which will provide for the comfort and pleasure of campers, will be made.

Monday Afternoon Club.

The club met in regular session Oct. 15. The following excellent program was given: Report of Parliament, Mrs. Ratekin; Early American Writers, Mrs. Atwood; Beginning of Nationality, Miss Griswold.

Mrs. L. M. Jefferies, a much loved member of the club, who leaves this week for Long Beach, gave a donation to start the "kitchen table" fund.

Mrs. Wm McFarlane, a former member of the club, sent a very kind and encouraging letter, expressing her sorrow at being obliged to withdraw from the club on account of her removal to Long Beach, and wishing the club every success in its new year's work.

Program for Oct. 22: Current events, Miss Herron; Orations and songs of the Revolution, Mrs. E. P. Warner; solo, Star Spangled Banner, Mrs. Paul G. Stevens; Yankee Doodle, Mrs. Whitsel, the club members to sing the chorus of each.

High School Notes.

Report of Covina Public Schools for first month, ending October 12, 1906: Number of days taught, 20; number of days attendance, 6976½; number of days absence, 172½; number of tardinesses, 69; average number belonging, 357.45; average daily attendance, 349; percentage of attendance, 98; enrollemnt, Grammar School, boys 148, girls 142, total 290; High School boys 33, girls 47, total 78; totals, boys 181, girls 189, total 370; number of visitors, supervising principal 16, patrons 10, others 5, total 31.

The first joint debate will be held with Pasadena High School on Nov. 16. Covina High School debaters will support the affirmative of the following question, "Resolved, That conditions as they exist in Russia at present justify the establishment of a truly representative government based on an educational or property qualification for voters." Clarence Hodges will be one of our speakers and the other will be chosen by a "try out" debate to be held Monday afternoon, Oct. 29th.

Trees which have a tendency to grow tall have been planted just south of the high school building so that the study room be made cooler by the shade during hot weather.

The Public Buildings Safety Committee of the County Grand Jury inspected the school buildings Friday morning. They were very much pleased with the general condition and appearance of the buildings, and especially so with the efficiency of the fire drills.

EASTERN STAR ELECTS.

Covina Lady the Choice of the Grand Chapter for Matron.

The Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star was occupied Thursday with the election of grand officers.

There were three candidates for the office of Grand Patron and ten for the office of Grand Matron, the greatest number for the latter office in the history of the order.

C. J. Wood of Caspar, Mendocino county, was elected Grand Patron.

Several of the candidates withdrew before a ballot was taken. On the first ballot there was no choice, on the second Mrs. Anna D. Dudderar of La Paloma Chapter of this city, came within 38 votes of a majority, so a third ballot had to be taken, and on that one Mrs. Duddrear won by a flattering majority.

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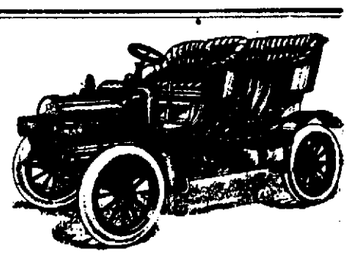
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